

LATEST

Emergency Spy Orders Canceled

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister King this afternoon announced revocation of the order-in-council under which persons were detained and questioned in connection with the Russian-directed espionage activities in Canada.

Mr. King read a letter from counsel for the Royal Commission on espionage stating no further orders for detention and interrogation would be necessary under the order-in-council now being revoked. Mr. King told the Commons that further similar orders would not be necessary.

He did not indicate whether this meant there would be no further arrests in connection with the investigation.

Vaccine For 17,000

VANCOUVER (CP)—Enough vaccine to immunize 17,000 persons is en route to Vancouver by air from eastern Canada, first of a series of shipments sufficient to vaccinate everyone here, Dr. Stewart Murray, city medical health officer, stated today.

Report On Payoffs

VANCOUVER (CP)—City Prosecutor Gordon Scott reported today he had completed his investigation into charges that five members of the Vancouver Police force have been receiving "payoffs." His report was in the hands of the police commission and nothing would be done until the board had reached a decision.

Municipalities Get Building Control

OTTAWA (CP)—Reconstruction Minister Howe this afternoon announced passage of an order-in-council giving municipal bodies authority to refuse building permits or cancel existing permits for construction work considered nonessential.

Ringside Seats \$100

NEW YORK (AP)—Ringside seats for the heavyweight title bout between champion Joe Louis and challenger Billy Conn at the Yankee Stadium June 19 will cost \$100, promoter Mike Jacobs announced today. Other prices: \$10, \$20, \$30 and \$50, all taxes included.

Wave Hits Coos Bay

COOS BAY, Ore. (AP)—A 10-foot tidal wave hit at Charleston at the entrance to Coos Bay today without apparent damage. South of here at Gold Beach there was no report of a similar wave having been observed and to the north, at the mouth of the Columbia River, the U.S. coast-guard said it had not noted a tidal wave and had no reports of one.

Rainfall For March .07 Inch Above Normal

Rainfall for March was 2.29 inches which is .07 inch above normal. Sunshine for the month was 132 hours, which is 22 below normal. Maximum temperature was 57 degrees, March 20, and minimum was 25 degrees March 27. Minimum on the grass was 30 degrees, March 19, with mean temperature of 44 degrees being normal.

Officer, Civilian Drowned In Mine Disposal Accident

An R.C.N. officer, Acting Gnr. B. E. Hiron, whose wife is now in Victoria, and a civilian, R. Whittington, Long Beach resident, have been drowned following capsizing of a small naval boat at Long Beach, 40 miles west of Port Alberni, late Sunday.

Capt. V. S. Godfrey, Pacific Command chief of staff, in a statement today said: "As far as is known, the circumstances are as follows: 'H.M.C.S. Talapus, with Mr. Hiron as bomb disposal officer, was dispatched to Long Beach, Vancouver Island, to dispose of a Japanese mine which had been reported by local fishermen.

"After disposing of the mine, Talapus' boat capsized in the surf and four survivors were rescued and taken to Tofino hospital.

"Unfortunately, Mr. Hiron was drowned and his body recovered. 'On word of the accident being received here, H.M.C.S. Crescent

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Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity — Tuesday: Clear not much change in temperature; moderate southwesterly winds. Temperature noon Monday, 50, Sunday's Temperatures — Min. 45; Max. 55. Sunshine: 6 hours 30 minutes.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Quake Throws Giant Waves Over Pacific

Greek Left Wing Heavily Beaten At Polls Sunday

By L. S. CHAKALES

ATHENS (AP)—Leaders of the conservative Populist Party claimed a victory today in Greece's Sunday elections and declared the size of the vote was an overwhelming defeat for Communists and other left-wing parties who had waged a campaign for the voters to stay away from the polls.

The election possibly paved the way for the eventual return to the throne of King George II.

Constantin Tsaldaris, chief of the Royalist division of the Populists, said the party would not insist upon having its own man as premier and indicated a broad-based coalition government might be organized.

The Press Ministry announced that of the votes cast in 499 precincts in different parts of Greece, the Populists received 272,855 votes; the national bloc—a coalition of National Unionists, Social Democrats and Venizelist Liberals—67,578 votes; and the Middle-of-the-Road Liberals 49,790 votes.

Unofficial tabulations indicated, however, that the Populists would gain a clear-cut majority of the 354 Parliamentary seats.

From 65 to 75 per cent of the total electorate balloted in comparatively heavy voting, it was estimated.

Clashes between Communists and government forces resulted in 20 deaths, most of which occurred Friday and Saturday. Order prevailed in most sections of the country during the actual voting.

Premier Themistocles Sophoulis, a Liberal, called on Regent Archbishop Damaskinos today and formally tendered his resignation in accordance with an earlier promise, but the Regent asked him to remain as Premier for a few days longer.

CONSULTATIONS ARRANGED
The Regent agreed to a suggestion by Sophoulis that he call up the executive committee of the Populist Party and consult with its members with a view to forming a new government.

The Ministry of Public Order announced that 11 gendarmes were killed Saturday night when a band of 100 persons described as Communists attacked a gendarme station at the foot of Mount Olympus.

Noah Beery Dies

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Noah Beery Sr., veteran film actor, died today in the arms of his brother, Wallace Beery. Noah, 63, was at Wallace's home on a week's vacation from his current appearance in the New York musical, "Up in Central Park."

The two brothers, with Wallace's daughter, Carol Ann, were scheduled to appear on a radio show tonight. Wallace and Carol Ann will go on as planned.

Officer, Civilian Drowned In Mine Disposal Accident

was dispatched to Tofino and will take charge of proceedings and attend the inquest.

"H.M.C.S. Crescent has been instructed to bring the body back to Esquimalt.

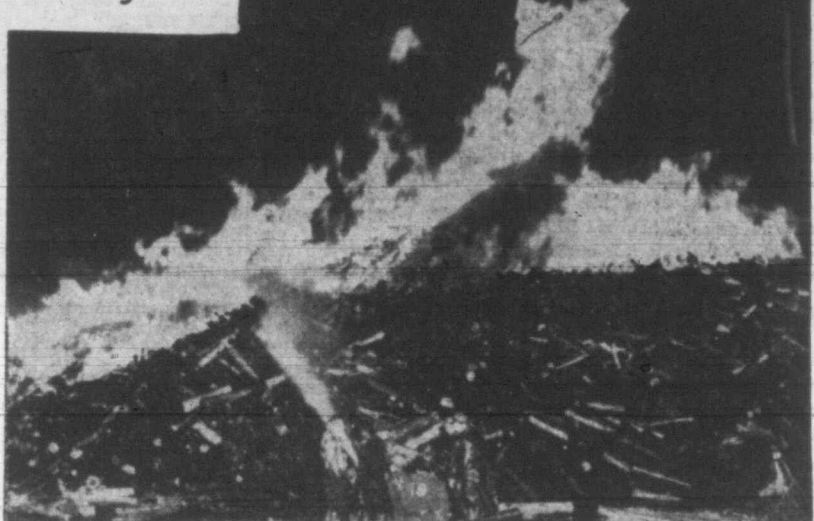
"A board of inquiry will be convened as soon as possible. It is not yet known whether there are any other casualties, until H.M.C.S. Crescent reaches the scene, due to poor communications."

The body of Mr. Whittington, who was drowned while assisting in the rescue, has also been recovered.

B.C. Police headquarters here reported Constable George Redhead, Ucluelet, was in the water at one time and saved himself by holding onto a rock.

Capt. Godfrey paid tribute to Mr. Hiron. "Mr. Hiron's tragic death is a great loss to the service," he said. "He was a fine officer and had done valuable work in the destruction of enemy mines."

Hull's Big Fire



This picture was taken as flames swept the 15,000-cord pile of pulpwood near the E. B. Eddy Company sulphite mill across the river from Ottawa. The plant has not been forced to close, other stocks of pulpwood being available.

Iranian Premier Gives Full Support To Envoy to U.N.O.; Soviet Pays Dues

NEW YORK (AP)—Premier Ahmed Qavam of Iran today gave unconditional support to Hussein Ala, his country's ambassador here, in a telegram direct to the United Nations' Security Council.

In support of Ala, who presented the Iranian situation to the council after Russia's dramatic walkout, the Premier stated:

"Hussein Ala has been and continues to be fully accredited and qualified to represent Iran in the matter concerning Iran now before the Security Council and in any other matters concerning Iran which may come before the Security Council requiring Iranian representation. This accreditation remains valid until further notice."

The Premier's statement, sent to Trygve Lie, Secretary-General, apparently was in reply to earlier Russian claims that Ala was not familiar with late developments in the situation.

PROMPT PAYMENT
This development came amid speculation over Russia's payment in full of her dues to the U.N.O. and subsequent hopes that the Council soon would be running on a full team basis.

It has been one man short since last Wednesday when Russian delegate Andrei Gromyko walked out in protest against the



HUSSEIN ALA

Council's refusal to defer the Iranian question until April 10. Members of the other 10 delegations could count these developments in favor of their hope that Russia might end what one official called a "temporary absence" and resume its place in the Council when that body convenes Wednesday.

1. The news from Moscow, released here by Secretary-General Lie, that Russia had paid in full her \$1,723,000 assessment for the United Nations' working capital. She was the first big power to do so.

2. Boris Stein, alternate Russian delegate, has been working steadily—and most congenially, other members said—on the

Two foreign representatives in responsible diplomatic posts said today they had received strong though unofficial assurances within the last few days.

"The Soviet Union is paying great attention to the U.N.O.," declared the well-known lecturer on world affairs, Alexander Leontiev, in an address at the Hall of Columns. "The Soviet Union considers it a serious instrument of preserving international peace and security."

"It is natural," Leontiev continued, "that differences in opinion are going to emerge on a number of questions. There will be contradictions between the great powers, but the problem is to surmount these hardships and to find a joint agreement in decisions on international affairs."

The government took over control of shipment and distribution of soft coal under orders of the Solid Fuels Administration. Retailers were directed to distribute supplies only to such consumers as gas plants, hospitals and households having less than 10 days' supply, and industrial concerns with less than five days' supply.

400,000 U.S. Soft Coal Miners Start Strike As Discussions Fail

PITTSBURGH (AP)—A work stoppage by soft coal miners of the United States, backing up the traditional "no contract, no work" policy of the American Federation of Labor Union-Mine Workers, began today for 400,000 workers whose collective bargaining contract expired at midnight.

Calm settled over the coal fields. John L. Lewis, president of the union, said there would be no picketing. Rationing of coal was started on government orders to insure supplies for urgent uses. The stoppage in production, if prolonged, threatened to disrupt the country's reconversion program. Already, one major steel company announced it would have to bank 20 blast furnaces.

CELEBRATE APRIL 1

The beginning of the work stoppage found members of the union ready for a holiday, anyway—their annual celebration of April 1 in honor of John Mitchell, one of the union's earliest presidents, and to commemorate the 48th anniversary of the eight-hour day. Actually, the effects of the strike therefore will not be felt until tomorrow.

President Lewis' principal demand from the coal industry is the establishment of a health and welfare fund for miners, to be created from an assessment on each ton of coal produced and to be administered by the union. The operators balked. The National Coal Association said such a "royalty" payment would make Lewis "a dictator more powerful

Ferry Companies Provide Doctors To Vaccinate Visitors

C.P.R. B.C. Coast Steamship Service as well as Black Ball Ferry Line offices said today they were placing a doctor at their respective Seattle wharves to vaccinate passengers boarding vessels for Victoria in compliance with a Dominion quarantine order that all boat passengers from Seattle for Victoria and Vancouver provide proof of having been vaccinated within one year.

Vaccinations started again today in Victoria as 500 points of vaccine arrived in the city by air at noon.

Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, medical health officer, said that 500 more points would arrive in Victoria Tuesday and after that supplies were expected as needed.

Of the first lot of vaccine approximately half will be distributed to private practitioners, he said, and the city health centre would start work at 1 o'clock, and continue until the supply of vaccine was used up.

Priority is being given to anyone going to Seattle, he said, and after that citizens will be vaccinated as they arrive. The health centre will be kept open evenings from 7 until 9 o'clock, as well as the regular afternoon shift until 5.

Although four Seattle hospitals have barred all visitors today as two new cases of smallpox were added to the growing list of persons infected, neither St. Joseph's nor Jubilee Hospitals here have taken any steps to bar visitors.

WATCHING AT HOSPITALS
Officials at both hospitals stated, however, that in the event of a case of smallpox being reported in Victoria they would take immediate steps to protect their patients by the banning of visitors.

Dr. T. W. Walker, superintendent of Jubilee Hospital, and Sister Superior at St. Joseph's, both said that the hospital staffs were being carefully checked and vaccinated where necessary. No steps have been taken yet to have hospital patients vaccinated unless ordered by the patient's doctor.

The death toll in Seattle still remains at five. There are 24 smallpox cases in Seattle and suburbs.

Boost in Butter Ration Looked For

OTTAWA (CP)—Increase in the butter ration from four to six ounces a week about May 1 is expected as a result of the increased prices and a seasonal upturn in production, but Prices Board officials said today they saw little hope of increasing the ration beyond that figure.

2 Killed at Crossing

MONTREAL (CP)—Henri Chartrand, 45, and Lionel Wake, 25, were killed Sunday night when their farm truck, loaded with vegetables on the way to market, was struck by a Canadian Pacific Railway passenger train at a level crossing on northend Cremazie Boulevard.

2,000,000 Workers Walk Or Stay Home In Detroit

DETROIT (AP)—Nearly 2,000,000 Detroit workers—many employed in industrial plants—were left stranded on street corners today as 5,200 American Federation of Labor motor coach and trolley operators struck in a wage dispute.

The walk-out began as scheduled at 4 a.m. and nearly all vehicles were back in the barns an hour after the strike began, D.S.R. officials reported. A contingent of 79 Detroit police officers and 15 from suburban Highland Park were on duty at car barns, but as the day wore on no incidents or picket lines were reported.

Representatives of the Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America and the Detroit Street Railways Depart-

Deaths Reported From Honolulu And California

From Associated Press Dispatches

Following fast on the heels of a heavy earthquake early today a tidal wave rolled across the Pacific Ocean, killing at least six persons ashore and bringing destruction to beaches from points as widely scattered as Honolulu, Santa Cruz, Calif., and Unimak in the Aleutians.

Five persons met death on Hawaii, many others were injured and heavy property damage reported. One man was killed at Santa Cruz, where watchers said two great waves, one much larger than the other, rolled up on the sands.

In the Aleutians all communications were lost with Scotch Cap and Cape Scarcieff 15 minutes after the tidal wave was reported.

At Honolulu the wave, which some witnesses said was more than 10 feet high, struck about 7 a.m.

Through quickly-clogged telephones and radio channels was pouring a story of surprised beach residents of the Hawaiian Islands caught in the fury of the wave. Small boats were washed high on the shore and ripped open on the coral.

Many coastal dwellers were trapped in their flooded homes. The wave, apparently caused by an undersea seismic disturbance thousands of miles north of here, spent most of its fury at sea. It had sufficient power left when it reached Oahu Island, however, to wash away small homes, destroy roads and inundate railroad tracks along the coast. Honolulu is on Oahu.

Harbor Facilities Seriously Damaged
Preliminary reports from the neighboring island of Hawaii indicated the city of Hilo was hard hit and its harbor facilities seriously damaged.

A preliminary survey reported damage of \$50,000 along the Honolulu waterfront. Navy headquarters could not be reached immediately to determine the effect in the sheltered waters of Pearl Harbor, where a large part of the atomic bomb test fleet is anchored.

Jack Spears, superintendent of the Ala Wai boat harbor, made the estimate of \$50,000 waterfront damage. He said he saw three or four boats on the reef and several others had been sunk.

The weather bureau here had no report on the centre of the disturbance, but the California Institute of Technology reported from Pasadena, Calif., that its seismograph had recorded two strong earth shocks early this morning in the North Pacific in the vicinity of the Aleutians.

All quarters here agreed the wave was due to some underwater earthquake or volcanic disturbance.

The waters around famed Coco Head rose over the road and blocked traffic. At Waikiki Beach the seawall prevented flooding of the luxurious Royal Hawaiian and Moana Hotels.

At Aloha Tower inside Honolulu harbor the water rose five feet above high tide marks, and at Kaena Point, beyond Schofield Barracks on the west side of Oahu, the water rose 10 feet. Some houses flooded were hundreds of yards from the shore.

Refugee-Loaded Auto Engulfed

From the island of Kauai, near Oahu, came the report that tidal waves had engulfed a car in which a family was being evacuated from low ground. Rescuers saved the family.

Small craft were driven up on the beach and a coastguard cutter grounded on Kauai.

Residents at the base of Diamond Head, landfill on Oahu, were at breakfast when waves smashed into the seawall. Water dashed 20 feet into the air, but the wave did not rise above the wall.

Joint army and navy air rescue headquarters at Fort Shafter put one PBV into the air to search for any boats in distress. Others prepared to go aloft.

Two 85-foot army rescue boats were driven ashore at Kaena Point, on Oahu.

The navy had no early reports from any Pacific points or from ships at sea.

Old-time residents recalled a

Quake Recorded At Observatory Here

Dr. J. A. Pierce, director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, said today that the seismograph had recorded "a very severe earthquake" this morning with the first wave arriving at 4:34 P.M.T. and the maximum wave at 4:41.

"The instruments were disturbed for over four hours," said Dr. Pierce. "Of a special interest was the fact that at 9:10 the returned wave arrived after traveling around the world, 24,800 miles. This wave was still recording when the record was removed at 9:30 for development."

Dr. K. G. Wright, analyzed the record placing the quake's epicentre at longitude 150 degrees west and latitude 70 degrees north or just north of Fairbanks, Alaska, a distance of 1,740 miles from Victoria.

A series of "quite sharp" earthquake shocks were recorded today at Saskatoon on the University of Saskatchewan seismograph, commencing shortly after 6:30 a.m., C.S.T., and continuing until 10 a.m. when they began to "die off," university authorities said.

Ottawa reported a "severe" earthquake approximately 3,600 miles northwest, "probably in Alaska."

An earthquake of major proportions, which was recorded on seismographs at Seattle, was believed by Howard A. Coombs, professor of geology at the University of Washington, to have centred somewhere in the vicinity of the Aleutian Islands.

He estimated that the shock was about 1,600 miles from Seattle. It could have caused heavy damage if it occurred in a well populated area, he said.

Russian Vessel Alma Ata Sails

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—While a Russian naval officer accused of espionage was free on bail and awaiting a hearing, the ship he was to board when arrested was outbound today for Vladivostok.

T. Nicolai G. Redin denied he was planning to leave the country on the Russian floating cannery, the Ss. Alma Ata, near whose gangplank he was arrested by F.B.I. agents last Tuesday. At Seattle his wife had reported earlier the family expected to leave this country about April 1.

Hearing for Redin on removal to Seattle, where the espionage warrant was issued, probably will be held this week. Soviet Consul-General Michael S. Vavilov of San Francisco reported, Redin was released Friday on \$10,000 bail and the hearing postponed to enable him to get an attorney.

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Change of Plan—The silver tea and Easter sale of work planned by Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, for Friday afternoon in the S.O.E. Hall, will be held Friday evening after the social meeting, which starts at 7.30. Hostesses for the tea and sale are Mesdames T. Bentley, A. Bowles, R. Corness and E. Richardson.

Beta Sigma Phi—Mrs. Lindsay Alexander, president, was in the chair at the business meeting. Nancy Shaw reported on the St. Patrick Tea. Officers elected for the new term were: President, Isabel Jewell; vice-president, Barbara Kemp; recording secretary, Phyllis Fox; corresponding secretary, Nancy Shaw; treasurer, Helen Smith. Cultural program was conducted by Brenda Phillips with assignments on "The Art of Thinking," led by Miss Phillips and Shirley Kerr. Next meeting will be held on April 10, at Craigmyle.

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Alexander Hopes to Make Canada Aware of 'Great Nationality'

By JAMES MCCOOK
LONDON (CP)—Viscount Alexander, a veteran professional soldier who says he has "never been a political man," today set forth in an interview his hope that during his period as Governor-General of Canada he will be able to help encourage "Canadians' awareness of their great nationality, and of their wonderful position in the Commonwealth and in the world."

Lord Alexander will sail for Canada April 5 to succeed the Earl of Athlone as Governor-General.

"I hope to travel all across the Dominion," he said. "I hope to start such traveling soon—within a few weeks after I arrive in Canada, if my other duties permit. I want to meet Canadians everywhere. I want by speeches and every other means in my power to encourage Canadians' awareness of their great nationality and their wonderful position in the Commonwealth and in the world."

The soldier who the late President Roosevelt called "Alex" and who has been the intimate of leading United States officers, including Gen. Eisenhower, Gen. Mark Clark and leading British figures in the war, hopes he will

Gouzenko's Life Not Insurable, Even By Lloyds

MONTREAL (CP)—The Herald said today in a newspaper story that "the life of Igor Gouzenko, key figure in Canada's investigation of Russian espionage, is not worth a plugged nickel as far as the life insurance business is concerned."

"Neither Lloyds of London, world-famed underwriters who will insure against almost anything from births to shipping losses, nor the ordinary life insurance companies would be greatly interested in underwriting the Gouzenko life, a survey revealed today," the Montreal daily newspaper said.

"A Montreal agency for Lloyds was asked to obtain for the three months' insurance against the death of the Russian embassy cipher clerk who betrayed Moscow to 'expose Soviet spying in Canada,'" the Herald said, explaining that Lloyds does not handle long-term life insurance but will underwrite a life for a short

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An Easter sale all the week. Soft toy animals, 25c and up, other toys, shopping bags, cosmetic cases, Chinese teapot, \$2.50; novelties etc. More superfluities coming in. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 737 Pandora.

A spring tea will be held at Monterey School by the Parent-Teacher Association on Wednesday afternoon, April 3, visitors' day at the school. Tea tickets, 35c. Everybody welcome.

A public meeting to inaugurate the Victoria Cancer Unit will be held on Wednesday, April 3, 1946, at 8 p.m., in the council chamber of the City Hall. Speaker, Dr. G. F. Amyot, provincial health officer. Everyone cordially invited.

C.P.L.L. Bowling Club card party April 5, 8 p.m., Belleville Street.

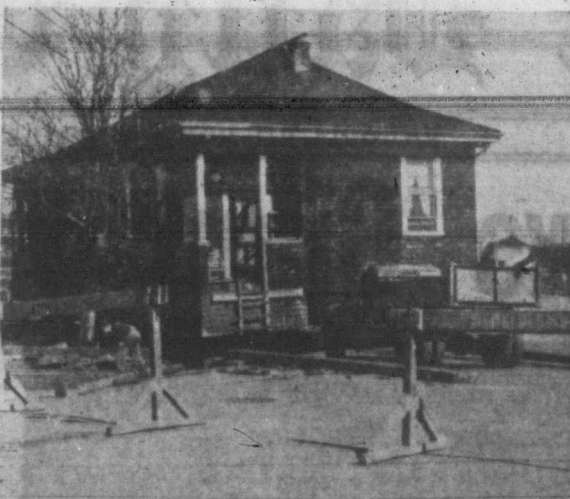
Dear Ma: Get "The Letters of a Prairie Dog" at all department and book stores. It's a scream.

Dr. Glenn Simpson announces the association of Dr. Richard R. Galpin in the practice of pediatrics (diseases of infants and children), commencing April 1, at 107-110 Campbell Building, 1029 Douglas Street, telephone F 7615; Doctors' Directory E 1195.

Fatha Earl Hines will arrive in the city Tuesday, April 2, with his orchestra and stars.

For Relief in Europe—Concert by Victoria members, Toronto Conservatory Alumni, Friday, April 26, 8.30 p.m., Victoria High School auditorium. Madrigals, two-piano ensemble (8 hands); vocal and piano solos; piano concerto (Greig—1st Mov't); speech arts. Tickets on sale, Fletcher Bros.

To Make Way For Auto Showroom



A lengthy job at which contractors have already worked for a month, the home of Nestor Noel, 1055 Yates Street, and his daughter, Miss Iris Noel, is being moved two blocks to the 1100-block on View Street. The house is being shifted to make way for a modern garage, auto-showroom

British Mission To India Works As 65 Held After Riots

NEW DELHI (CP)—The British cabinet mission to India today got down to the most vital part of its task even as persons opposed to the Congress party staged demonstrations here and in Bombay which resulted in 65 arrests.

The three-man mission headed by Lord Pethick-Lawrence, Secretary of State for India, began its discussions with Indian political leaders with an interview with Dr. Kharag Sahab, Premier of the Northwest Frontier Province.

Dr. Sahab is understood to have urged upon the mission the granting of immediate independence to India in precedence of consideration of the Pakistan issue which would create an independent state or states in predominantly Moslem areas of India.

The riots here broke out a few minutes after the arrival of Mohandas K. Gandhi, spiritual leader of millions of Hindus, for his conferences with the mission, due to start tomorrow. The disturbances first broke out Sunday night between residents of Worli, the Untouchables' Colony on the outskirts of Bombay, and members of the Scheduled Castes' Federation, political organization of the Untouchables. They spread to New Delhi today.

Gandhi arrived in a two-car special train from Bombay and later entered a freshly-white-washed and decorated hut which normally serves as a school.

Gandhi, who keeps silence on Mondays, seated himself in the middle of the floor and took no apparent notice of cries of "Down with Gandhi!" as rocks began to come through nearby trees.

Winnipeg C.S.M. Says Not Guilty to Long List of Complaints

WINNIPEG (CP)—C.S.M. Marcus Tugby of the Winnipeg Grenadiers today entered a blanket plea of "not guilty" as his trial opened before a general court-martial at Fort Osborne Barracks here.

There are 19 charges against him involving alleged collaboration with the Japanese, assault on Allied prisoners of war in the Oeyama prison camp in Japan, and misappropriation of Red Cross parcels.

Escorted by two company sergeant-majors, Tugby marched into court. He then entered the plea of not guilty after the lengthy charge list had been read.

Capt. F. W. Christie of Winnipeg, prosecuting officer, outlined the various charges, telling the court the alleged offences occurred at the Oeyama camp, where Tugby was imprisoned from September, 1942, until the end of the war. Fourteen of the

Impressive Funeral Service For Maitland

VANCOUVER—Citizens from every walk of life and representatives from other parts of Canada filled St. Andrew's Wesleyan United Church here Saturday for the funeral service of the late Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C., Attorney-General of British Columbia.

The hour-long service, one of the largest and most impressive ever held in Vancouver, was attended by Hon. W. C. Woodward, Lieutenant-Governor; Premier John Hart and members of the B.C. Cabinet. Opposition Leader Harold E. Winch and Chief Justice Sloan, who headed a delegation of the judiciary of B.C. It was conducted by Rev. O. W. S. McCall and Rev. C. A. Williams.

"British Columbia never had a better or more conscientious Attorney-General and western Canada never knew a stronger advocate or finer friend," said Dr. Williams in his eulogy.

Escorted by a lengthy cortege, the funeral procession, after the service went to Mountain View Cemetery for final rites.

Thieves Miss \$900

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Safecrackers overlooked a sack containing \$900 in bills when they opened the Columbia Theatre safe early Sunday morning. They escaped with \$298 in silver.

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Fisherman Hooks Boy, Drags Him to Safety
TEMPLE, Tex. (AP)—Two boys, Charles Turner of Waco and Robert Walker of Temple, were caught in the Leon River and washed over a dam Sunday. Three Temple fishermen saw their plight and cast heavy fish lines toward the boys. R. L. and Gene Swan pulled Walker out of the strong undercurrent. Hubert Lancaster hooked Turner in the leg and reeled him in, unconscious, but the boy was revived.

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ron Chapter, I.O.E., Mrs. J. W. Van Norman, regent, presided. Two new members were welcomed. The regent reported that a cheque for \$10 had been sent to the Mervyn Cummings Fund, and the treasurer was authorized to send the sum of \$30 to the I.O.E. War Memorial Fund. The sewing meeting will be held Tuesday evening, at the home of Mrs. Van Norman, 10 Hampton Court.

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May Turn Trials Over to British

AURICH, Germany (CP Cable) — The Canadian War Crimes Investigation Unit has knowledge of 40 to 50 war crimes involving the murder of Canadian airmen by Germans, but after the conclusions of three trials scheduled to be heard by the R.C.A.F. War Crimes Court here the others likely will be turned over to the British authorities for action, it was learned Saturday.

The R.C.A.F. War Crimes Court already has held two trials involving Germans accused of wounding or killing Canadian airmen. In the first, Johann Neitz, former German Marine Corps cook, was sentenced to life imprisonment for wounding with intent to kill FO. Rudolph Roman, Toronto bomb-aimer who bailed out of his burning bomber near Wilhelmshaven in October, 1944.

Interior Airline Sought
OTTAWA (CP) — The Air Transport Board has under consideration an application from Interior Feeder Airline Service for a charter to operate an air service between Vancouver and Lethbridge, Alta., with several intermediate stops in Alberta and British Columbia.

I.O.E. Chapter — At regular meeting of Thunderbird Squad

25-Year-Old Russo-Iran Treaty May Be Produced Before Council

NEW YORK (AP) — A treaty signed by Russia and Iran 25 years ago may be produced in a "surprise witness" role before the United Nations' Security Council investigation of current difficulties between the two countries is ended.

No reference was made to the Feb. 26, 1921, "Treaty of Friendship between Iran and Russia" in the first round of discussions.

Attention centred chiefly on the Soviet-British Iranian pact of 1942 guaranteeing evacuation of all foreign troops from Iran six months after the end of the war against the Axis.

Moscow's answer to Secretary-General Trygve Lie's request for complete information on the dispute, however, may include an invitation for the Council to examine the 2,000-word "Treaty of Friendship."

A copy of that treaty was produced from the Iranian embassy in the Soviet Union Sunday night. The only reference to troops is contained in article six which gives Russia "the right to advance her troops into the Iranian interior for the purpose of carrying out the military operations necessary for its defence" under these conditions:

"If a third party should attempt to carry out a policy of

usurpation by means of armed intervention in Iran, or if such power should desire to use Iran as a base of operations against Russia, or if a foreign power should threaten the frontiers of Russia or those of its allies, and if the Iranian government should not be able to put a stop to such menace after having been once called upon to do so by Russia."

Russian Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky's Jan. 24 communication to the Security Council noted a danger of organized hostile action to Russian oil fields at Baku, just north of the Iranian border.

He called attention to "the fact that propaganda hostile to the Soviet Union is growing stronger in Iran and is far from being discouraged by the Iranian government."

The Iranians Sunday night, however, cited an exchange of notes relative to the 1921 treaty in which Russia agreed that article six was "intended to apply only to cases in which preparations have been made for a considerable armed attack upon Russia or the Soviet Republics allied to her," and "in no sense intended to apply to verbal or written attacks directed against the Soviet by various Iranian groups."

Vancouver-Bound Freighter Now Safe

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The merchant ship Onida Victory, which reported she was in sinking condition Sunday night after colliding with the tanker W. L. R. Emmet off the California coast, early today messaged for her crew to be returned aboard.

The crew had left the stricken vessel Sunday night in boats and boarded the Emmet, with the captain, a radio operator and two injured men remaining aboard the Onida Victory.

The Mackay radio reported that a message from the Onida at 12:36 a.m., P.S.T., requested the Emmet to return the crew and asked the tanker to stand by.

The U.S. Navy's Western Sea Frontier Headquarters sped two sea-going tugboats to the scene, 12 miles east-southeast of Point Conception, in hope of towing the Onida to Port Huemene, Calif. Other naval craft hastened to ward the damaged ship.

The navy reported the Emmet was damaged but in no danger. Shortly before midnight a navy report said the Onida was listing 23 degrees and was taking on water rapidly.

The 10,500-ton ship was bound for Vancouver to load cargo for Europe.

Flattop Warrior Reaches Halifax

HALIFAX (CP) — H.M.C.S. Warrior, first aircraft carrier to wear Canada's Maple Leaf on her funnel, steamed into her home port Sunday a week out of Portsmouth, Eng., on her maiden voyage.

Just inside the Sambro Lightship at the approaches to Halifax, the 18,000-ton flattop turned into the wind and flew off her fighter and reconnaissance aircraft, giving Canadians ashore their first chance of seeing Canadian naval air squadrons flying as units.

Escorted by the destroyer Micmac and the Algerine minesweeper Middlesex, the Warrior moved upstream to her berth at the naval dockyard.

At noon, W. C. MacDonald, Liberal Member of Parliament for Halifax, boarded the carrier and welcomed the ship's company back to Canada on behalf of Defence Minister Abbott.

Capt. F. L. Houghton of Ottawa and Victorias, expressed pride in his ship. Standing under the ship's emblem—a Viking's head with the motto "Haul Together"—Capt. Houghton told the ship's company her steaming and flying trials had been completed successfully.

Ribbentrop Gives His Version Of Nazi-Soviet Talks

MUNICH (AP) — Joseph von Ribbentrop, former Nazi Foreign Minister, testified before the International Military Tribunal here today that Premier Stalin agreed in Moscow in August, 1939, that he "would never accuse Germany of aggression because of her actions in Poland."

The agreement was that "if aggression were spoken of both parties would be guilty," Von Ribbentrop said.

The accord, Von Ribbentrop continued, was reached Aug. 21, 1939—less than two weeks before the Nazi march into Poland—in the course of negotiations for a Russian-German non-aggression pact and a secret protocol for partitioning Poland, Finland and the Baltic states.

The testimony was given after R. A. Rudenko, Soviet prosecutor, had protested against admission of an affidavit by Friedrich Gaus, former Nazi Foreign Office negotiator, relating to the alleged secret protocol.

Rudenko accused the defence of "attempting to divert the attention of the tribunal from real issues" by dwelling on the reported Russian-German understanding prior to the outbreak of the war.

The tribunal decided, however, that the affidavit could be admitted as evidence and that Von Ribbentrop could testify on the matter.

BY FORCE OF ARMS

Von Ribbentrop said that at the time the alleged secret agreement was negotiated "there was not the slightest doubt in the minds of Hitler or Stalin that if all negotiations with Poland came to naught, territory taken from our two countries by force of arms would be reunited to them by force of arms. In this manner, the eastern boundaries (of Poland) would be turned over to the Soviet Union and the western territories to Germany."

Nazi efforts to induce Russia to join an Axis three-power pact failed, Von Ribbentrop said, because the Soviet price for signing was too high.

He listed the Russian terms as: 1. A free hand in Finland, which "we supposed would lead to the occupation of Finland." 2. Close relations with Bulgaria, which the "Bulgarian government did not want."

3. Certain rights in the Dardanelles, which Mussolini opposed. 4. An outlet through the Baltic, which would have brought up the question of the Skagerrak.

Questioned as to Hitler's military intentions toward Russia, Von Ribbentrop said the Fuehrer once told him "we, of course, don't know what is concealed behind that door and we one day may be obliged to break that door open."

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Former Chief of Imperial Staff, Viscount Gort, V.C., Dies At 59

LONDON (CP) — Field Marshal Viscount Gort, V.C., 59, who commanded the British Expeditionary Force in France and the Dunkerque retreat early in the Second Great War, died Sunday in Guy's Hospital after a long illness.

A former Chief of the British Imperial General Staff and a distant cousin of the King, Lord Gort resigned as Commander-in-Chief and High Commissioner for Palestine last fall because of ill-health and came to London for treatment. He underwent an operation in November and "recently suffered a relapse," an announcement said.

Born July 10, 1886, he succeeded his father as the Sixth Viscount Gort in the Irish peerage at the age of 16. He was educated at Harrow and Sandhurst Military College.

LINE OF WARRIORS

A descendant of a long line of warriors, Lord Gort had been a professional soldier since he was 19. His energy and reputation for courage won him the army sobriquet of "The Tiger."

He served with distinction during the First Great War, winning the Victoria Cross, the Empire's highest gallantry award, in 1915, after he was twice wounded.

He was a brevet-major when the war ended in 1918.

In 1937, when Leslie Hore-Belisha, then War Secretary, was casting about for a leader to reshape Britain's armed forces to meet modern requirements, Lord Gort was promoted over the heads of some 30 senior generals to the army's highest post, that of Chief of the Imperial General Staff.

The first meeting between Viscount Gort and Mr. Hore-Belisha was unconventional. Both were on holiday in Switzerland. They collided while skiing.

In 1939 Lord Gort headed the British Expeditionary Force in France and later played a major role in the desperate rearguard action which saved 325,000 British and thousands of French soldiers from entrapment at Dunkerque.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL

On his return to Britain he became Inspector-General of the Home Forces for Training, and in April, 1941 was named Governor and Commander of Britain's rock fortress of Gibraltar.

In May, 1942, he was sworn in as Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the "most bombed spot on earth," the island fortress of Malta in the Mediterranean.

Lord Gort assumed the difficult post of High Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief of Palestine in October, 1944. He was elevated to the rank of Viscount of the United Kingdom last November. He had held the hereditary title of viscount in the Irish peerage, but the new rank entitled him to a seat in the House of Lords.

Prime Minister Attlee paid this tribute to Lord Gort Sunday: "He rendered great services to



Won fame in Dunkerque action... the late Field Marshal Viscount Gort.

Man Dies Of Stab In Heart; Taxi Driver Slain

WINNIPEG (CP) — Police today continued investigation into two deaths which marked a week-end wave of violence in Winnipeg as a taxi driver was found slugged early Sunday morning and another man was fatally stabbed during a Saturday night quarrel with his wife.

Henry N. Knight, 45, was fatally wounded when a knife for which he and his wife were struggling, plunged into his heart, according to a witness.

Mrs. Knight was charged with murder today by Police Chief George Smith. An inquest was set to be opened today.

Police suspected robbery as a motive in the murder of John Johnson, 48, whose body with battered head was discovered lying in an empty lot in the Tuxedo district of southwest Winnipeg. The pockets had been partly pulled out.

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C.N.R. Appointment

MONTREAL—Appointment of Stanley F. Dingle, general superintendent, Alberta district, C.N.R., to the position of chief of transportation of the National system at Montreal, is announced by N.E. Walton, C.B.E., executive vice-president. Mr. Dingle succeeds Howard H. Sparling, appointed assistant general manager of the western region with office in Winnipeg.

Lift Ceilings On Bedding Prices

OTTAWA (CP) — Price increases in bedding, ranging from 16 to 25 per cent, have been authorized to offset the costs in materials, the Prices Board announced.

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CHILE GETS FRIGATE

SHELBURNE, N.S. (CP) — Two former Royal Canadian Navy frigates—Glac Bay and Seadiff—were turned over to the Chilean navy Sunday by the War Assets Corporation.

West Virginia Stages Ramp 'Whiff' April 16

SPENCER, W.Va. (AP) — Fred Hinkel today invaded the habitat of the noisome ramp, a vegetable which makes strong men flinch and causes wives to wish spring never came.

"The time is here," said Hinkel after taking two or three extra-deep breaths. "I hereby call all 250 members of the Central West Virginia Ramp Association to stand by for April 16, when we'll hold our annual 'whiff'."

Only the most enduring of mountaineers will answer the call of the association. The eating of the ramp, a springtime rite peculiar to the hillfolk, calls for hardihood.

The botany book defines the ramp as "a broad-leaved species of garlic much cultivated and eaten in salads."

The ramp's odoriferous power is beyond adequate description.

The Ramp Association will hold its "whiff" in the community building with all the windows open. Corn pone, side meat, apple pie, saffrafs tea and ramps will be the menu.

Partakers will not be permitted to enter their homes for at least three days.

Disclose 2 Attempts On Life of Chiang

CHUNGKING (AP) — Two attempts on the life of President Chiang Kai-shek—in 1934 and 1935—were disclosed Saturday with reported sentencing of Yu Li-chi, a Chinese newspaperman and alleged terrorist, to 13 years' imprisonment and deprivation of civil rights for eight years.

Ho Ping Pao, a Chinese National Army newspaper, said that Yu was convicted at Kowlyang, capital of Kwelchow Province.

The prosecution charged he belonged to a terrorist organization.

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CHLORINATION

IN A BROCHURE COMPILED AND issued by the Provincial Health Department, the City Water Commissioner and the City Health Department, the statement is made that:

"The Victoria water supply is open to contamination and cannot be guaranteed to be safe from the possibility of being involved in a water-borne epidemic."

That conclusion is reached by the authorities following an extensive inquiry into the question. It leads to the expression of the opinion by the agencies concerned that:

"Chlorination is the most inexpensive and generally used method of purifying water, and the equipment is already provided at the intake (of the Victoria system). The cost of continued chlorination would be approximately \$7,000 per year. It is felt that this is a reasonable expenditure to ensure safe water for the residents of Greater Victoria, and for the tourists visiting the city."

In the face of such opinion, endorsed as it is by the Victoria Medical Society, can there be any question over the maintenance of the existing system? Recent tests have not altered the situation. The possibility of epidemic from water, if it is not treated, still remains. Furthermore, the city and the province have established branches of specially trained experts to safeguard the public health. We submit that as long as those agencies are in operation—and their abolition has never been proposed by any thinking individual or organization—their advice should be accepted.

It is true that users of Victoria water might escape illness even if chlorination were terminated. Similarly it is true that disaster might not follow immediately if many other safeguards established in the public interest were eliminated. But a city of this size cannot afford to gamble on a matter of vital importance.

Medical men have come into contact with individuals who thought they suffered physically through the use of treated water. The lay opinions of such patients have been discredited and the cause of their trouble traced to other factors. Nor have the widely publicized ills which were predicted prior to the institution of the present system materialized.

Citizens will remember that the purification agent was used on Dominion government orders during the excessive concentration of service personnel in this district. Insistence was placed on the protective measure when troops under federal jurisdiction were located here. We submit the public in general and the tourists should be given the same insurance.

There are those who argue that the Victoria water supply is unique. Tests disclose, however, that purity cannot be guaranteed. Because local users have escaped water-borne epidemic is no proof that they will continue to enjoy such immunity. It can happen here. And the responsibility on the mayor and members of the City Council, should they decide to eliminate treatment, is of unusual gravity. Unquestionably they should regard the matter from the public health standpoint. No political considerations should weigh in the matter. If they recognize that responsibility, they are bound to follow the recommendations of the health authorities, and the opinion of the vast majority of qualified experts on the necessity of maintaining chlorination is not in doubt.

Latest advice from Ottawa indicate a temporary agreement to protect the city can be continued until the council reaches a decision. But it seems unnecessary for the civic authorities to waste much more time on this issue.

FOR NEW RESPONSIBILITIES

LT-GEN. GUY SIMONDS, COMMANDER of the Canadian forces in The Netherlands, who has just returned from Europe to Canada, stated in an interview in Montreal that compulsory military training for Canada "is the most democratic way of providing Canada with the strength it must have" to play its role in the United Nations Organization.

Presumably the principal objective he has in view is the training of an adequate force to play its part in the maintenance of world peace. It is obvious that Canada's contribution to this force must be regarded as a primary obligation imposed by the responsibility assumed by Canada as a member of the United Nations. Argument on the subject would be inspired by the question whether such a force could be maintained by voluntary or compulsory means.

But the public in general is more concerned with the question on a broader scale. Military training has many champions. It must be kept in mind, however, that a large proportion of Canadian citizens have sprung from the loins of those who came to Canada from Europe largely to escape compulsory military training and war. The objective of the suggested policy is to prevent war through a contribution to an international police force. Modern military training, including the naval and air forces, is highly technical and carries certain values to civilian life. Therefore the question arises

whether or not such training should be adjusted to modern conditions in order to fit into that pattern of citizenship which Canada's new status requires.

Thoughtful Canadians have given study to the question of some form of national service as a means of creating a stronger sense of citizenship among the young people who enjoy the advantages of life in this country. Lt-Gen. Simonds, a soldier, has advocated military training. Whether that would be more satisfactory than some other form of service, such as a compulsory period in some basic industry, is a matter of debate. Either, presumably, could be integrated into an expanded educational program along lines suggested in provincial circles.

The objective of either would be to let the young person know, through experience other than that of the classroom, the responsibilities he must assume—to make him a conscious unit of society, and overcome the thoughtless attitude, which some are inclined to see in the younger generation, that pays little heed to the duties of citizenship while accepting its benefits.

While opinion will be divided on the form such service shall take, the remarks of Lt-Gen. Simonds will prompt discussion of the matter and from debate may come a clearer public understanding of the objective envisioned.

'OPERATION NURSERY'

"OPERATION NURSERY" WAS PERFORMED with methodical exactness on the "Werewolves" of Germany on Sunday by American and British troops, and followed a long effort on the part of the Hitler Youth Headquarters to make certain that the proper Nazi cells would be established among the newly-built political formations which are beginning to function in Germany. It may only have been a coincidence, but it seems of some significance, that the "operation" was timed to take place just after Hermann Goering had ended his dramatic appearance at the Nuremberg trial as witness in his own defence. The unrepentant and unashamed Field Marshal was the most popular of all the Nazi leaders with the German people. He represented the spirit of a Germany, which, if it were not eliminated, would once more dominate a civilization built from a pagan and brutal era wherein the survival of the fittest was the only test of human values.

With the painstaking thoroughness that distinguished the German administrative and economic machine, the Nazi leaders had created the "Werewolves" as a special corps to defeat every de-Nazification effort made by the Allies. By the usual methods of intimidation in all educational, political or economic institutions, it was believed that National Socialism would survive and eventually become once more the major party in Germany. Every Hitler Jugend officer had been specially trained to play his part in this underground conspiracy, which drew many of its inspirations and movements established in every country the German armies had overrun during the war. The keynote of the policy to be pursued was to foster disunity among the Allies; to prevent the disintegration of the Nazi party and its "ideals"; to take advantage of chaos and out of defeat to conjure the spirit of a dramatic vengeance.

Apparently the American and British counter-intelligence service has severely checked the "Werewolves." Many of their leaders appear to be under arrest and when the old gang is disposed of after the Nuremberg trials, it is hoped that there will be no organization left to stimulate German youth with a false conception of the discredited, disgraced and utterly defeated Third Reich. "Operation Nursery" is a fitting epitaph to that defeat.

ESTABLISHING PRINCIPLES

SECURITY AGAINST AGGRESSION must not be confused with authority to intervene in matters which are essentially within the domestic jurisdiction of any state. The vast majority of people in Canada, the United States or any of the other nations supporting the charter of the United Nations, may not approve, for example, of the Spanish, Argentine, or Portuguese governments, but they are for the time being the governments of those states and active intervention to change them would in reality be an act of aggression. The Portuguese and Argentinian governments have apparently been confirmed by recent elections. They are both what are known as dictatorships, though the Portuguese government is a very different kind of dictatorship from that of Col. Peron in the Argentine. The Spanish government, under Generalissimo Franco, was hostile to the Allies during the war; it has had no elections, because the opposition parties are themselves woefully at odds with each other. But active intervention within the state is a different thing to pressure exercised from without, when the form such pressure can take has been authorized by the United Nations. Under such circumstances, whatever action can be taken is not a matter for the Security Council to adjudicate but for the Social and Economic Council to decide.

The establishment of democratic principles must not be abandoned because conditions for the time being are unfavorable for their exercise. The means taken to achieve the objective in view must be based on principles and not on what might appear expedient. If the foundations are firmly established, the structure of the United Nations will be secure. The reign of law can only be based on a respect for the law and the first principle of the law of the United Nations is to prevent aggression—not to encourage it merely to conciliate an emotional desire to settle a score.

Democrat Troubles

By MARK SULLIVAN
WASHINGTON

THE DEMOCRATS, at their Jackson Day dinners, had to recognize that their party is in lower estate than a year ago, that the Truman administration is in less widespread favor with the public now than during the months after it took over last April. If they speculated on the reason, they might have found much of it in the personalities of the two men who made the principal Jackson Day speeches, President Truman and his Secretary of Commerce, Henry A. Wallace, the relations of these two to each other, and the relation of both to the Democratic Party. And they might have found a concrete clue in a recent incident.

Last week Mr. Wallace took back, with some circumlocutions qualifications, a statement he had put out officially last November. The November statement had been that a wage rise could be granted by General Motors without increase in prices of automobiles. And by inference from this and other utterances of Mr. Wallace, that the same thing could be done in other industries, that there could be wage rises without price increases.

THE ORIGINAL Wallace statement in November had the effect of helping the C.I.O. union of automobile workers, specifically in their strike against General Motors and generally in the nation-wide campaign on strikes the C.I.O. was engaged upon. That this must have been Mr. Wallace's intention is as clear as any assumption about motives can be. The time he chose for taking back his statement, four months after he had put it out, was immediately following settlement of the General Motors strike, by which time his original statement had had what effect it could.

Upon the Truman administration, the Wallace statement in November, with what accompanied and followed it, had far-reaching effects. In the public mind it identified Mr. Wallace, and hence the administration of which he is a part, with the C.I.O. As respects Mr. Wallace personally, that identification had long been understood. By his official status as a member of the Cabinet, the identification was carried over to the Truman administration. Since the C.I.O., through its Political Action Committee, is a political body as much so as either the Democratic or the Republican party, the Truman administration came to be regarded as rather more C.I.O. than Democratic.

THIS FEELING DOES not rest merely upon the single incident of Mr. Wallace's help to the C.I.O. in its strike against General Motors. It was borne out by other actions of Mr. Wallace, and by actions and attitudes of Mr. Truman himself. The effect upon Democrats, in Congress and elsewhere, is the cause of one of Mr. Truman's principal troubles, his inability to command his party in Congress, the failure of most of his legislative program.

The condition was glaringly apparent at the Jackson Day dinners. Here were President Truman and his Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Wallace, side by side—Mr. Truman, by his status as President, making the principal speech, Mr. Wallace, the secondary one. The Democrats listening knew that Mr. Wallace is more a favorite of the C.I.O. than of Democrats. They knew that at the 1944 Democratic National Convention the C.I.O. had tried to make Mr. Wallace the Vice-Presidential nominee, and that if they had succeeded it would now be Mr. Wallace, not Mr. Truman, making the Presidential speech.

THEY KNEW THAT if the C.I.O. could choose the Presidential nominee in 1948, as they realize it will try to, it would not renominate Mr. Truman, it would nominate Mr. Wallace. They knew that right now the C.I.O. is making a drive to unseat, in the coming Congressional primaries and election, many old-school Democrats. And they knew that Mr. Wallace, by his political position, and by the context of his speech, was encouraging that drive. In this condition the listening Democrats heard Mr. Truman, in his speech, giving support to Mr. Wallace's—the principal speaker in effect saying me too to the secondary one.

Another of the Truman administration's troubles is directly related to Mr. Wallace's help to the C.I.O. the theory he put forward, that there could be wage rises without increases in prices. That theory may or may not have originated with Mr. Wallace; it was put forward by others in the Administration. It was indeed an Administration policy. There is not space here to point out the extremely limited degree to which the theory has any validity, the essential fallacy inherent in it. The fallacy was apparent to common men, and this caused reduction of esteem for the Administration.

FURTHER, the Administration, having made this theory a cornerstone of its program for reconversion, was obliged to retreat from it. Having encouraged wage raises, the Administration was obliged to decrease increases in prices, in cost of living. The two steps, combined, were a stimulus to inflation.

The people who feel generous never are. They may help the poor, but they never hurt themselves by it. They give only what they'll never miss.

What fools we are! What in thunder does anybody gain by getting more pay if it forces prices up so he must spend that much more to live?

There is only one picture of the Judgment. In that final accounting, people are not judged by their righteousness, but by their treatment of others.

Letters To The Editor

CHARLES CREIGHTON

"The most learned medical scholar of the 19th century" (Lancet) passed in 1927. His name was Charles Creighton. For many years he lived in an attic room, later in a Northampton village, but always in a world of his own. His loneliness and poverty were due to his original thinking and honest speaking. He had dared to expose one of the crudest superstitions of this age—vaccination, for smallpox. The editor of the ninth edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica invited him to submit the article on vaccination, in which Creighton believed. Undertaking the task, he began to study his subject, and to his amazement found that his orthodox views were all wrong, and so frankly stated. The editor wanted the truth, and published the article, which was the most crushing indictment of Jennerism ever written. Brilliant beyond words in conception and output, Creighton also published the stupendous "History of Epidemics in Great Britain."

Needless to say, later articles in the Encyclopedia on vaccination have been written by those who approve vaccination, but in the opinion of many of us Dr. Charles Creighton lived and died a hero.

After all, one wants the truth. DORA KITTO.
516 Scollard Building

AND THE NUTS GREW

I was more than usually interested in Mr. Bruce Hutchison's article—published recently—about his new neighbor from the prairie: who looked 65 and was 80 years of age; who wanted to grow nut trees and not be indebted to the nurseryman for their start, but had the idea, that by putting a few nuts in cans his quite understandable desire to raise his own would be fruitful, nut-full of results.

It may interest some of your readers and delight the old gentleman to know that this can be done.

Three years ago my wife and I paid a visit to our married daughter's farm at Embro, Ont. Among the various trees about the place was a well-grown butternut tree. That is what they called it, and it had a fine crop of nuts at the time of our visit and I picked at random half a dozen of them to take back to Victoria. By the way, though the tree had had many good crops very few nuts reached the house, because the squirrels always "beat them to it."

Some time in the late fall I planted the nuts we had brought home, some in pots and some in a jam tin. When the early spring came—without any visible sign—I thought (as Bruce did) it's no good, but did not disturb them and waited. Three sturdy shoots appeared, which I set in a border and we have in our small lot, two established, if tiny, trees, one was destroyed accidentally.

"How hath the mighty fallen!" I can understand and appreciate Mr. Hutchison not wanting to raise false hopes, but his reputation as an expert among the nuts has received a mortal blow. If ever his Winnipeg friends get to know of his most lamentable error, I fear the worst.

"Tell it not in Gath."

FRANK AYRIS.
2625 Graham Street.

NOT SO FUNNY

They say "people are funny." This may be true, but in the case of the evidence presented in some of the letters to your paper with reference to the proposed Gordon Head airport, some people are not so funny.

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that they can't do the same thing if they want to, no matter in what part of Greater Victoria an airport is located? Or is it because new and progressive industries are not to be allowed to improve the lot and importance of that municipality?

Then there is the atom bomb hysteria. It is not funny, nor is it just the foolishness of people who would get rid of our bridges, docks and everything else that keeps this place operating, that moves me to write this letter. Rather, ideas that were so ridiculously far-fetched in a recent letter to your paper, are an indication of some of the baseless hysteria that has been going the rounds lately. We all understand that there are selfish individuals in every community who would rather have the whole world go back 100 years than to see the scenery from their own back doors altered one iota. The same people are "all for it" if some other locality is involved.

If we would just stop and think for one second, we would realize that in the near future every city of any size will have its airport (and not one that is about 25 miles from the city centre). As far as Victoria is concerned, it has already got two first-class bombing objectives, either one of which, is of far greater importance than the proposed airport, namely, the naval base and the Parliament Buildings (without which there would be no Victoria).

Perhaps we should get rid of these too, along with our docks, roads, bridges, telephone exchange and what have you? In which case, would these people with the brilliant ideas get together and petition the Hudson's Bay Company to erect a fort here? (There are still a few Indians to trade with.) Apart from this, let them get together to offer some alternative means of providing employment for our larger population, beside getting on with the airport and progress.

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\$5,000 Campaign For Robert House

Prince Robert House is now functioning as a hostel for both service and service personnel, and the campaign to raise \$5,000 toward capital expenditures is beginning by the Navy League. Donations may be taken into Navy League headquarters at Prince Robert House, Col. T. Moore, manager, said.

A joint meeting of the executives of the Vancouver Island division and the Victoria branch of the Navy League, which was attended by H. R. Gillard, secretary of the Dominion council, decided to make every effort to keep Robert House functioning.

Forrest L. Shaw, chairman of the Victoria branch, explained that during the war years the Navy League had operated the hostel for Dominion government war services and the government had underwritten all losses.

After Sunday, however, the government withdrew its support and it has been necessary to put the hostel on a business-like footing in order to keep it running as requested by naval services in this area. Mr. Shaw said.

Other branches of the armed services have promised their full support in the campaign to raise the necessary \$5,000.

"It was felt," Mr. Shaw said, "Robert House would fill a great need while accommodation is difficult to obtain. Private rooms will be built for permanent residents and there will also be transients."

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Govt. Co-ordinates Photographic Service

A provincial government inter-departmental committee was set up last week with the object of co-ordinating the photographic work of the various departments of the government.

At a future meeting to be held in April the photographic program for the coming year will be discussed.

Chairman of the committee is C. R. D. Ferris, chief photographer for the B.C. Government Travel Bureau. Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the provincial museum, is vice-chairman.

Other members of the committee are A. T. Hourston, Department of Agriculture; Eric Druce, Department of Lands and Forests; George Alexander, assistant commissioner of fisheries; J. S. Cull, Department of Health, and H. P. Johns, Department of Education.

Funeral Services For Dr. Jones Today

Private funeral services were held from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home today for Dr. H. Aubrey Jones, 43, former assistant superintendent of Tranquille Sanatorium, who died Thursday. Burial was in the family plot at Royal Oak.

A native of Victoria, the late Dr. Jones was a graduate of Queen's University and went to Tranquille in 1927, remaining there until a year ago when he was made medical director of the Tuberculosis Unit at Royal Jubilee Hospital. Surviving are his widow, two daughters and a son.

Esquimalt Wars On Tent Caterpillars

Esquimalt has declared war on the tent caterpillar menace with pupils of Grade 10, Esquimalt High School preparing a notice urging all to spray trees with arsenate of lead or collect and burn tents after the eggs of the caterpillars have been hatched.

Slogan is: "Attention, man your sprays. The tent-caterpillars are here." The notice was prepared by the school students for the Esquimalt School Board.

Meat Coupon Drive

A drive will be made through the Craigflower district by members of the Craigflower Civil Defence Post No. 4 in the interests of volunteer surrender of meat coupons. It was decided at a meeting.

S. Pringle will be in charge and coupons will be turned over to the Wartime Prices and Trade Board to assist in sending more meat to Britain and Europe.

Discussion of the possibility of holding a fall fair was held. Following were the officers elected: Sam Bell, chairman; Stanley Morrow, vice-chairman; and Percy Ross, secretary-treasurer. Charles Richards was named chairman of the auxiliary police committee, and Mr. Pringle was made post transportation officer.

Committee heads previously named included Jack Welham, entertainment; Mrs. William Rankin, sick visiting; Mrs. Richards, first aid; Mrs. Ross, auxiliary fire service; and Mr. Bell, agricultural branch.

The International Scene

PILOT IN GERMANY WARNING TO ALLIES
By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer

The Nazis underground plot to revive Hitlerism in Germany, disclosed during the week-end, is grim warning to those who would relax the military occupation that the Allied task of reformation is far from finished.

It's highly significant that this revolt centred in the Hitler Youth Movement, for that remains the core of the resistance to Allied authority. The dangerous element of the German population lies for the most part within the age range of from 14 to 35.

The Youth Movement fanatics represent the toughest of the human problems which the Allies have in German rehabilitation. These young people—yet most vital element in the Reich—are so thoroughly indoctrinated that there appears to be small hope of persuading many of them to a change of heart. They can be kept in hand only by force, for force is their god.

But the thing cuts deeper than that. Since this age group is largely lost to the Allies, the most effective educational reform must be made among the younger boys and girls. There our main hope lies, and that is where the Allies are concentrating heavily.

When I was at the war crimes trial at Nuremberg a short time ago I reported to you that the defence of former Reichsmarschall Hermann Goering and some other prominent figures was directed fully as much towards whitewashing the Hitler regime as towards securing acquittal for those in the dock. Goering is quite resigned to conviction and is devoting his emergency to wards vindicating his government and thereby providing propaganda for a restoration.

The Youth Movement plot is not surprising. And it isn't the last thing of its kind which we shall see, because it is natural for a beaten people to try to overthrow their conquerors.

However, these hopes can be crushed by Allied solidarity and a demonstration that we have no intention of abandoning the pro-

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gram of occupation until Germany is reformed. That will take at least a generation, in the view of Allied experts, and it may require even longer.

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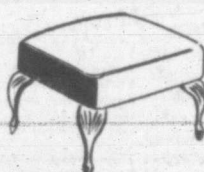
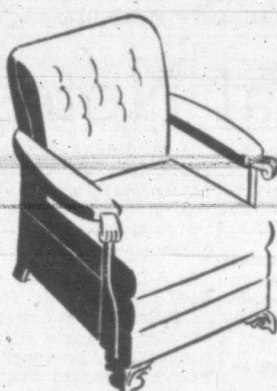
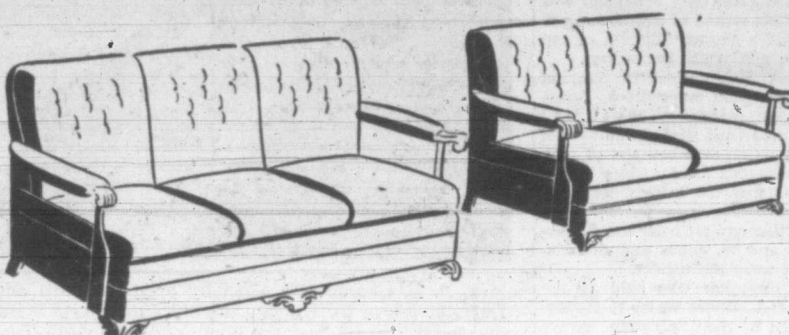
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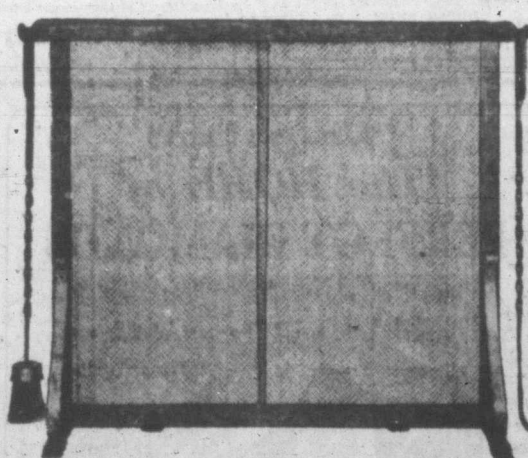
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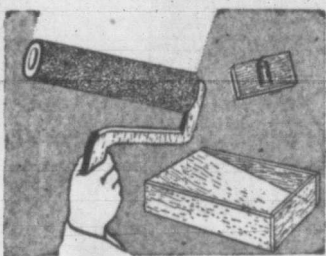
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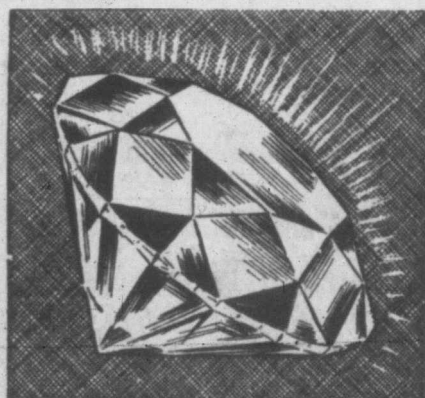
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Beatrice Roberts Bride of J. Hollier

Major A. McInnes of the Salvation Army, officiated at the marriage ceremony, March 29 at 8 in Emmanuel Baptist Church, of Beatrice Selma Roberts, daughter of Mrs. H. Horn and the late A. Roberts of Victoria, to James Hollier, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Hollier, London, Eng.

The church was decorated with a profusion of spring flowers and the wedding music was played by the organist, D. W. Phillips. Given in marriage by her stepfather, H. Horn, the bride wore the conventional white wedding gown of sheer and satin, fashioned with lace bodice, sweetheart neckline and full bishop sleeves. The hand embroidered finger-tip veil was held with a sweetheart coronet trimmed with pearls. Her only ornament was a double strand of pearls and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses and white carnations.

Miss Helen Roberts wearing a dusky pink crepe frock, Dutch cap of matching material trimmed with silver sequins and carrying an arm bouquet of pink snapdragons and white carnations was the bride's only attendant.

Acting as best man was S. Gibbons and W. Jones and A. Lambrick were the ushers.

A reception was held at the Y.W.C.A., where Major H. Honeychurch of the Salvation Army War Services, Nanaimo, sang several solos. He also sang at the church during the signing of the register.

For a honeymoon trip to the mainland the bride wore a powder blue two-piece ensemble with hat matching, navy accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollier will reside in Victoria.

To Officiate at Opening



Mrs. P. E. George will officially open the 36th annual Daffodil Tea of the King's Daughters to be held Wednesday from 2.30 till 5 at the home of Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, 1930 Woodley Road. Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, Mrs. Bertha Parsons, Miss Kathleen Agnew and Mrs. A. M. Perry will preside at the tea urns. There will be a sale of flowers, a gift stall and a grocery basket.

Personal Notes

Miss Mary Grace Pittfield arrived from Vancouver Sunday to spend a week as the guest of Mrs. W. C. Woodward at Government House.

Mrs. Frank Boyle of Juneau, Alaska, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McKenzie, Island Highway, at Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Sills entertained Sunday afternoon at their home on Lansdowne Road in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mainwaring, new residents of Victoria.

Out-of-town guests at the Hollier-Roberts wedding on the weekend were Mrs. B. K. Horne, New Westminster; Mrs. J. Grundon and Mrs. E. Hulme, Vancouver; Major and Mrs. H. Honeychurch, Nanaimo.

Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Cragg arrived in Victoria Saturday and are visiting with the former's parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. G. W. Cragg, 1270 Montrose Avenue. Dr. Cragg has been recently retired from the R.C.A.M.C.

Mrs. P. B. Scurrah returned to Victoria Saturday after a two-weeks trip in the United States, attending a meeting of the executive board of the Supreme Chapter, P.E.O. Sisterhood in Omaha and Kansas City. En route, Mrs. Scurrah visited chapters in northern Nevada.

Mrs. B. Deane-Freeman has returned to her home in the Cariboo after visiting in Langford. Mrs. Deane-Freeman was re-elected provincial president at a Canadian Legion convention in Vancouver, and will be the provincial delegate to the Dominion conference of women in Quebec City May 19.

Mrs. E. Don Robbins, who left Sunday on her return to Hongkong, was guest of honor at a tea given at the Empress Hotel Saturday afternoon by Mrs. C. Newberry and Mrs. W. Sturrock. Others present were Mrs. E. A. Robbins Sr., Mrs. D. Davidson, Mrs. E. Clark, Mrs. E. Pearson, Mrs. G. Edwards and Mrs. W. Fraser.

Rear Admiral Arthur H. Walker and Mrs. Walker and their daughter, Miss Madeline, are guests at Government House. Today Mrs. W. C. Woodward entertained at luncheon in honor of Mrs. Walker. Admiral and Mrs. Walker, who have been in Canada for five and a half years, stationed first at Ottawa and then Vancouver, will return to their home in England aboard H.M.S. Cape Wrath.

A reunion of school friends who attended South Park School was held at the home of Miss Emily Elworthy, 959 Bank Street. The evening was spent in "reminiscing." Later, a delicious buffet supper was served. Mrs. Jean Orchard presided at the tea urns and other guests were Mesdames Jean Willis, Marguerite Clute, Myra Balagno, Ella Cicci, Cecily Foot, Evelyn Frame, Charlotte Waters, Gladys Finland, Hazel Hodson, and the Misses Mona Pickabv, Frances Briggs, Gladys Cruickshank, Winifred Fox, Clarice M. Gray, Violet Lewthwaite, Helen Lewthwaite, Pat McDonald, Eileen Dumbleton, Winnifred Greig, Vi Mesher, Mary Anderson, Alice Pottinger, Jean Roberts, Kitten Roberts, Gertrude Scott and Beryl Ferguson.

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APRIL SHOWER OF DIMITS

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P.T.A. News

Cloverdale—Regular meeting will be held Wednesday at 8 in the school. There will be a short musical program after which J. A. Young will show kodachrome slides of British Columbia.

McKenzie Avenue—John Gough, Saanich School Inspector, will speak on the Cameron Report at tonight's meeting at 8 in the school. Refreshments will be served.

James Bay—A social evening was held at South Park School when court whist was played and acquaintances were renewed. H. G. Yetman thanked W. Orchard and the committee of teachers and pupils for the evening's entertainment and also many local merchants for their support of the work of the association. Refreshments were served by Mrs. E. Browning and her committee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wakelyn, 1941 Argyle Avenue, Victoria, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Mary Stuart, to William Rennie Tapp, only son of Mr. W. J. Tapp of Toronto, Ont. The wedding is to take place quietly in May.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at the Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge \$1.50 for 10 lines, and 15c for each additional line.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dale, 1046 View Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Evangeline (Van), to William K. Miller, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Miller, 1454 Ocean View Road. The wedding will take place quietly in April.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kissinger, 1110 Fairfield Road, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Jeanette, to William G. Lynch, son of Staff Sgt. S. Lynch, Vancouver. The wedding will take place quietly at St. Andrew's Cathedral, April 27.

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Club Calendar

L.A. to the F.O.E., Aerie No. 12, Tuesday at 8, 751 View Street. Officers meeting at 7.30.

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., special meeting Wednesday at 7.30 at headquarters.

Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 18, D.O.E., B.S., Thursday at 8 in S.O.E. Hall. Drill practice after meeting. Robert Burns McKicking Chapter I.O.D.E., Tuesday at 8 at headquarters. Esquimalt Community Club tonight at 8, in the hall, 804 Esquimalt Road. Plans for annual May Day celebration to be discussed. Solarium W.A. Wednesday at 2.30, Solarium Office, Pemberton Building.

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Montreal—Mrs. H. A. Beck, P.T.A. An illustrative moving picture followed. Eric Jones was in the chair. A spring tea will be held on Wednesday, which is "Visitor's Day" at the school. Mrs. J. Henslowe is general convenor, assisted by Mrs. T. Aikam and Mrs. R. Jackson. Grade 7 girls will sell hot dogs. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. E. Curtis were elected delegates to the British Columbia P.T.A. convention to be held in Vancouver on April 23. Members will donate gifts to Mrs. C. Gibbard for the adopted school at Cape Mudge, Quadra Island. Next executive meeting will be held on April 10 at 7.45 at the home of Mrs. F. C. Pollard, 815 Transit Road.

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Girl Guide Division Holds Annual Meeting

Miss D. Illingworth, commissioner for British Columbia, stressed the place of outdoor recreation and group work in the development of the young girl and the part the Girl Guide movement plays in this development, at the annual meeting of the Greater Victoria Division of the Girl Guide Association.

Mrs. F. W. Midgley presided at the meeting which heard reports of all phases of the work during the past year. Increase in numbers was reported with keen activity on the part of both Guides and Brownies. District reports were submitted by Miss D. Stocken, Miss L. Ryan and Messlames A. M. Emmerton, S. D. Rogers and V. J. Pritchard. Mrs. Curtis Sampson of the camp committee spoke briefly on her work as chairman, overseeing the camp site at Saseenos which will be used again this season. Mrs. A. S. Steward, divisional camp adviser, reported on condition of equipment. Mrs. Midgley expressed the thanks of the division to the I.O.D.E. for help during the past year; to the Boy Scouts for their co-operation and to the public for their generous support.

Special guests were Mrs. Alan E. Morkill, former provincial commissioner; Mrs. H. C. Holmes, former divisional commissioner; Freeman King and Major Hunter of the Boy Scouts; Mrs. Freeman King of the Saanich division. Also attending the meeting were commissioner and guides of Victoria and members of local associations.

During the evening Mrs. B. Coombs of the Balmoral-Leave Centre presented a number of citizen war services certificates.

Variety Concert Given

Students of Mt. Douglas High School presented a successful two-night variety concert last week-end featuring the play "It's a Women's World" and the hilarious skit "Mellorrama."

Musical items included vocal solos by Robin McRae, Lorraine Stocker and Valerie Turnbull; piano solos by Joan Milloy, violin, Andrea Pettitjean; imitation of Frank Sinatra, Dave Lewis. The Mt. Douglas Rythmaires a chorus of 40 girls under the direction of P. D. Parfitt, also made their debut. Recitations were given by Pat and Bruce Emery.

Accompanists were Joan Milloy, Florence Chaplin, Ruth Jeffrey, Jack Turner and Tom Ransom. Direction and production was under the management of the staff. The master of ceremonies was Vic Van Slyke and the mistress of ceremonies, Elsie Neilson.

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Veteran Volunteer



A Red Cross volunteer during both World Wars, Miss Marian Pitts has been convenor of flower arrangements in wards and rooms by the visiting committee at Victoria Military Hospital for the last four years. She has also worked with the Red Cross Oak Bay unit since 1939. During the First World War Miss Pitts and her sister, Mrs. T. B. Pemberton, now of Lancing, Sussex, worked at the original Red Cross superfluity shop in the Belmont Building where proceeds netted close to \$50,000.

Dutch Nurses Thank Canadians

Letters of appreciation from Dutch nurses who were the recipients of coats and capes recently sent them by Canadian nurses tell how great was the need of these gallant women who have been carrying on under most adverse conditions over such a long period.

Many of the 1,000 coats and 400 capes sent to Holland were distributed to public health nurses who are obliged to be out in all sorts of weather and whose rains are frequent, had long since ceased to give protection.

One of the grateful recipients writes: "After five years of war, you can imagine what our coats look like—worn and discolored—so we were very glad to get new ones, especially such thick ones. You have helped us out of coldness and wetness. Not only have your soldiers liberated us, but you have helped us to clothe ourselves."

Several of the letters express appreciation not only of the help of the Canadian nurses, but of the Canadian soldiers who liberated them. One writes: "We are so glad the war is over now! We need many things still, but they will soon be better, we hope. We are grateful for all you did for us." Another writes: "I think you must have heard rather often about us this last year as it was men from your country who liberated us from the Germans and from the starvation we were so near to. All is not well yet, and it will take several years to rebuild our country in the strict sense of the word as in the matters of health and morals."

Dorothy Dix

Dear Miss Dix: I have a friend who has been going with a man for three years but this man has been going with another woman for about 20 years. He tells my friend that he wants to quit going with the other woman, and would have quit her long ago except that she holds him by her tears. He has never told her that he loves her and has never asked her to marry him. What should my friend do? Should she keep on going with this man or not?

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Elspeth Huxley Goes to Kenya

NAIROBI, Kenya (CP)—Mrs. Elspeth Huxley, well-known writer of books on East Africa, has arrived in Nairobi on a special assignment. Under the authority of the East African Governors' Conference she will advise authorities in Kenya and other East African territories on the provision of literature to Africans.

Her mission is in connection with plans to organize a native university press at Makerere College, East Africa's only native university; on the lines of similar institutions in the United Kingdom. Mrs. Huxley will also give advice on the preparation of educational literature for Asian schools in the territories.

Gordon Here to Stay—Gordon, the brilliant hair stylist at Reimers Beauty Salon, has decided to remain indefinitely in Victoria. He has found that local women are thoroughly appreciative of his genius for styling coiffures perfectly suited to each individual, who places her hair problems in his artistic hands. Gordon has styled hair in many eastern centres, and in the United States.

Clubwomen

Spring Tea—Britannia Branch, W.A., held a successful spring tea. Cards were played from 2, and tea served later at artistically decorated tables arranged by Mrs. S. M. Williamson. Mrs. H. Parker was in charge of the cards, Mrs. A. Hall, tea tickets.

Food Collection—Junior C.W.L. held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Mona Doyle, 49 Erie Street. Mrs. W. Carnes, president was in the chair. Reports from committees were read and in co-operation with the national executive a collection of canned goods for relief of war victims will be held, convened by Miss Neida Hilditch. Junior stall at the annual spring fete of St. Ann's Academy will be convened by Miss N. O'Connell and Miss Ida Cassidy. Annual donation will be given toward prizes for Indian schools. To increase funds it was decided to hold a white elephant sale at the home of the president 417 Simcoe Street, on April 10. Election of

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officers for the coming year will take place at the next meeting.

Red Cross Notes

Royal Oak—A tea was held at the home of Miss E. Goodhew, West Saanich Road, in aid of the Red Cross. The sum of \$50 was realized. Guests were received by Mrs. Stanley Green, president and the hostess. Corsage bouquets were sold by Misses Betty Schwam and Doreen Jackson; fortune telling was in charge of Mrs. H. R. Maurer. Musical selections were given by Miss Russell, pianist; Miss M. Gubbles, violinist, and R. M. McIntosh, vocalist. The tea was convened by Mrs. H. Smallshaw.

The following druggists of Victoria and District are A.L.D. stores — Watch for Thursday's Advertisements in this paper:

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A request will also be made to have a special police officer assigned to duty in the parks because supervision of the parks

is more necessary with the greater use of park playgrounds, he explained.

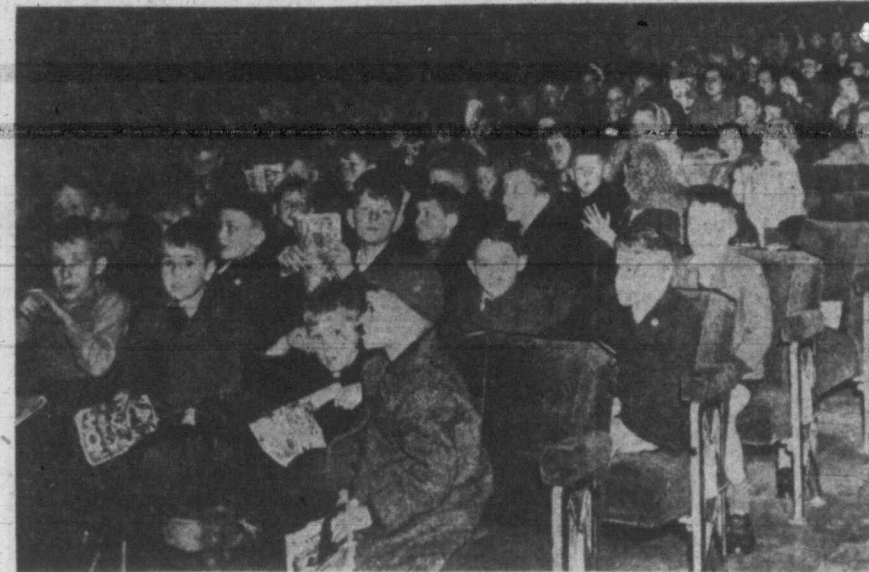
Permission has been granted by the parks committee to the Gideons to hold an Easter Sunday sunrise service in Beacon Hill April 21; to the Victoria city schools' physical education committee to use Royal Athletic Park April 23 for annual school sports; to the Canadian Rugby Association to use Macdonald Park for remaining spring games, and to the Victoria Labor Council to use the bandstand in Beacon Hill Park May 1 for a labor rally.

Completes Haircut

HULLA Que. (CP)—Today Hull fire chief Emile Bond found time to get the other half of a haircut interrupted by the outbreak of the spectacular fire which destroyed pulpwood piles near the paper mill of the E. B. Eddy Co. Friday.

His barber had just started cutting when the first alarm sounded and had finished one side of the chief's head when the second alarm came. Chief Bond leaped from the chair and rushed to the scene, where he directed operations.

Enthusiastic Youngsters Attend Odeon Movie Club



Nearly 500 boys and girls pack the Oak Bay Theatre every Saturday morning, for the regular weekly session of the Odeon Movie Club for Young Canadians. The youngsters operate their own club, appoint their special committees and take the responsibilities of being a member seriously. Of course with club business out of the way, they enjoy a full-length feature, cartoons and sports especially selected for children. Starting the club here were A. M. Davidson, Victoria supervisor of Odeon Theatres of Canada, and Dennis Watson, manager of the Oak Bay Theatre, who attends the Saturday morning club session.

Uncle Ray

INDIA AND CHINA CALLED 'FIRST HOMES' OF ORANGE

Poets have had trouble with the word "orange." No word, "is said, can be found to rhyme with it. You might try to think of some word which sounds like orange, but if you make the effort I suggest that you give it up before you work your brain too long!

The name came into our language from the French, but it had a long history before it reached France. The French seem to have got it from the Portuguese, who in turn took it from the Spaniards.

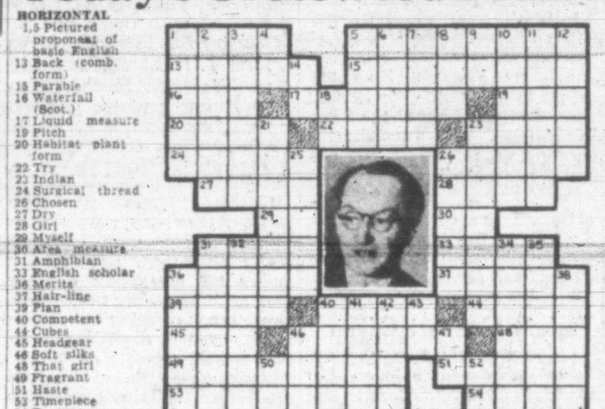
The Spaniards are believed to have been told the word by the Arabs. Before the Arabs had it, it was used in Persia and India. Of course it had other forms long ago, and has been changed in the course of time. The Persians called it the "narang" and in India it was known as the "naranga."

The French have the name "or" for "gold," and this fact has been connected with the golden color of the orange. Yet the root word in India means "sweet-smelling," and the first name of the orange seems to have been given to it because of its fragrant blossoms.



India and China are called the "first homes" of the orange. Today, however, the fruit grows in the warmer parts of every continent. California, Florida, Louisiana and Texas are, among the American states where oranges are grown. Alabama is another state which has them, as so is Arizona. During a visit on an

Today's Crossword Puzzle



ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

1. Does nothing
2. Speaks
3. Bizarre
4. Rupture (ab.)
5. Misadventure
6. Fowl
7. Conspire
8. Revolving parts
9. Flares
10. Country in Asia
11. King of Sardinia
12. DF
13. Lament
14. Amused
15. Rm subject
16. Study to master
17. Austrian town
18. Abyssinian coin

19. Public speaker
20. Accused
21. Moss
22. Jewish measure
23. Sate
24. Self (comb. form)
25. Sailing vessel
26. Fasten
27. Exclamation
28. Salt
29. Reckless (ab.)
30. Missouri (ab.)
31. Mixed type

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Mozart, who wrote so gloriously for the small instrumental ensembles, is represented by two selections. None of the music to be played has been adapted, but was originally composed in the form in which it will be heard on this occasion.

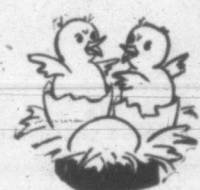
Following is the program in detail:

Chaconne in G minor, Strings, Henry Puccini; Divertimento No. 2 in B flat, Clarinet and Bassoon; Mozart; Suite for Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bassoon and Horn, Fernandez; Quartette for Flute, Violin, Viola and Cello, Mozart; 7th Organ Concerto with Oboe, Clarinet, Bassoon and Strings, Handel.

burn remarked how she can stay out of pictures for a year or more and them come back with no damage to her box office.

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Chamber Concert At First United

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Twenty-six members of the

Similarly, conditions of Miss Ruby Flexman of Regina, and Dorsey Lubin, three-year-old son of Mrs. A. Lubin, 44 Menzies Street, seriously injured in traffic accidents earlier in the week, were reported to be "fair."

Mrs. Worth, according to Esquimalt police was struck by a car driven by Mrs. M. L. Walsh, 568 Hillside Avenue.

In the other two accidents, Miss Flexman, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. George, 1589 Wilmut Place, received a fracture of the skull and cuts when struck by a streetcar at Oak Bay Ave. and Hampshire Road Tuesday; the little boy, Dorsey Lubin, received severe cuts and bruises when pinned beneath a streetcar at Niagara and Menzies Streets Wednesday.

The other day Katharine Hep-



LUCKY BETTY HUTTON, flanked by Barry Fitzgerald and Iris Adrian, reads a letter informing her that charge accounts have been opened for her in all the best New York shops, by an unnamed benefactor. That is just the beginning of many hilarious and amazing things that happen to her in Paramount's comedy, "The Stork Club," now at the Capitol Theatre.

Today



Extra

LON CHANEY
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BRENDA JOYCE
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Ladies! see what happens when Marie (the Body) McDonald's ex-beau becomes a knight of the garter. Dennis O'Keefe is the knight in question and she leads him a merry chase in and out of rooms, up and down hay lofts. It's more than a triangle — it's a quadrangle with reinforced corners.

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Doors 11:30 Doors 6:45



EDDIE DEAN AND CHIEF THUNDERCLOUD, known to the radio listeners for his performances as Tonto, chief aid to the Lone Ranger, are seen in a gallop for life scene in PRC's "Romance of the West," now showing at the York Theatre.

'Stork Club' Opens At Capitol Today

The most famous night spot in the world, New York's Stork Club, is the background for Paramount's super-de-luxe comedy-musical, "The Stork Club," which is currently at the Capitol Theatre, starring Betty Hutton.

Supporting Betty in a role as lovable as the one he had in "Going My Way," is Barry Fitzgerald. He will be seen as an eccentric millionaire who, grateful because Betty saves him from drowning, anonymously showers her with all kinds of fabulous gifts. When her boy friend, played by Don DeFore, returns from overseas, she has some tall and impossible explaining to do.

The story complications are said to be hilarious, as are the performances. In addition to the principals mentioned, laughs are contributed by Robert Benchley, Bill Goodwin, and Iris Adrian.

Barbary Coast Story Showing at Atlas

Joseph Schildkraut, who is featured with John Wayne and Ann Dvorak in Republic's "Flame of Barbary Coast," which is the current attraction at the Atlas Theatre, will be remembered for his Academy Award-winning performance as Dreyfuss in "The Life of Emil Zola." Strangely enough, Schildkraut has spent most of his time in the legitimate theatre since winning the honor.

Ann Dvorak, who is co-starred with John Wayne in Republic's "Flame of Barbary Coast," is exciting drama of the early 1900's which is the current attraction at the Atlas Theatre, left Hollywood in 1940 and went to London with her British husband, Leslie Fenton.

Where To Go Tonight

ATLAS—Flame of Barbary Coast, starring Ann Dvorak.

CAPITOL—Betty Hutton in "The Stork Club."

DOMINION—"She Went to the Races," with James Craig and Frances Gifford.

OAK BAY PLAZA—"Getting Gertie's Garter," starring Dennis O'Keefe.

RIO—Abbott and Costello in "The Naughty Nineties."

YORK—"Romance of the West," starring Eddie Dean.

'Garter' Comedy At Oak Bay, Plaza

"Getting Gertie's Garter," taken from the hilariously successful stage comedy of a generation ago, will start its rollicking shenanigans at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres today through United Artists release.

Marie "The Body" McDonald is Gertie. And the fondly inscribed bejeweled garter is given her by Ken Ford, a promising young scientist played by Dennis O'Keefe. But Ken doesn't play for keeps.

When the story opens, years after the giving-of-the-garter, he is married to Patty, played by Sheila Ryan. And Gertie is engaged to his best friend, Ted Dalton, played by Barry Sullivan. It is the day before Gertie's wedding and everyone is very festive and happy.

It takes a sunny day, however, for a successful picnic. The long-forgotten garter pops up in a larceny case. And Ken, who has just been elected a Fellow in a super-duper scientific society, is served a summons to appear in court next day and testify. His idea is to get the garter and destroy it.

Jack Gwynne Coming In York Picture

Jack Gwynne, appearing at the York for three days commencing Thursday, not only equalled many of the feats of the famed fakirs and Jadoowallas of India, during his recent U.S.O. junket overseas, but he also won their ardent respect by showing them many of the illusions which have been created by himself and other prominent magicians in this country. Gwynne's feats of magic so astonished the native populace, wherever he performed, that Indian promoters offered him lucrative bids if he would perform. His U.S.O. commitments

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CANADIAN WORLD NEWS

Pipers to Attend Reunion at Armories

Vancouver Island pipers have arranged the annual reunion of British Columbia pipers for next Saturday, in Room 1, at the Bay Street Armories. A banquet will start at 6:30. Highland dress

will be worn whenever available. After dinner competitions will take place. First will be for original competitions to be played, if possible, by the composer who shall previously hand in his manuscript to the judges. Leading side-drum competition will be for the Lieutenant-Governor's silver mounted sticks with the drummer selecting his own

piper accompanist. Winners of tinkers' cup competitions will compete for the grand prize to be presented by John MacDonald. Large representations are expected from the first and second battalions of the Seaforth Highlanders, Seaforth Cadets, Vancouver Police Pipe Band and from Seattle and Portland pipe bands.

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DOMINION THEATRE

Unpretentious and gay, with thrilling racing scenes at the Santa Anita track as a background for the hilarious story of a group of college professors who figure racing odds from a scientific viewpoint, "She Went to the Races," at the Dominion Theatre, emerges as amusing, light-hearted entertainment.

James Craig, Frances Gifford, Ava Gardner and Edmund Gwenn are the principals involved. Miss Gifford and Gwenn are cast as fellow members of a research institute. Unless \$20,000 can be raised quickly, Gwenn is to lose his job. To prevent this, Miss Gifford joins with some colleagues in their inspiration to get the money by betting on the horses from purely scientific deductions.

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DOMINION

made it impossible to accept, however, so that a large number of the people who witnessed his U.S.O. performances, intended for the GI's only, were natives who had sneaked in to witness his ability. Gwynne now numbers both the oriental and occidental magicians among his most ardent fans.

Color, Action, Song In 'Romance of West'

Something new, colorful and unusually exciting in outdoor action pictures was revealed in PRC's "Romance of the West," starring Eddie Dean, which opened at the York theatre today.

Here is a rare and altogether delightful combination of luscious action of the frontier days, enacted with a background of gorgeous natural color and enhanced by some luring ballads of the west rendered by the very personable Eddie Dean, who displays a voice that is, without doubt, the best that has yet come to the screen in this type of production.

Dean sings four songs, and each one is a gem: "Indian Dawn," "Ridin' the Trail to Dreamland," "Love Song of the Waterfall," and "Ten Little Indians," all due to join the hit parade of ballads.

Holland May Buy R.C.A.F. Planes Here

The Netherlands government is negotiating with War Assets Corporation to purchase a number of surplus R.C.A.F. flying boats for use in the East Indies, it has been reported. Some of

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C.P.R. Car Ferry for Island Run Will Be Built By B.C. Shipyard

Latest developments on vessels ordered and contemplated for the Canadian Pacific Railway's B.C. Coast Service were revealed Saturday by D. C. Coleman, chairman and president of the company, who has left for the east after a brief holiday here.

Mr. Coleman announced his company's officers have been working on the design of a new automobile-carrying ferry for service between Vancouver and Vancouver Island. If a suitable vessel can be designed, he said, it will no doubt be built in a west coast shipyard.

With respect to the two new coast liners for the triangle service out of Victoria, Mr. Coleman said that although contracts have been signed, keels have not yet been laid down, as the determining factor as far as time is concerned, is delivery of the machinery.

Machinery is now on order and framework of the vessels, he indicated, would be ready for reception of the engines when they

are delivered. The new ships, he said, will be the most modern passenger ships in existence as far as propelling machinery is concerned.

GREATER MANOEUVREABILITY

"One great advantage to be derived from that," Mr. Coleman said, "is that they will have much greater manoeuvrability and that is a feature of importance on the triangle run." He added passenger accommodation would "embody the results of Canadian Pacific experience of over 45 years in maintaining this service."

No names have definitely been selected for the two forthcoming vessels, but it was probable, he said, one would be called the Princess Patricia and the other Princess Margaret or Princess Marguerite.

In regard to reports that the Princess Kathleen would soon be back in service on this coast, Mr. Coleman said: "We have been pressing for the return of the Princess Kathleen, but we

have not yet been told when she will be available. Apparently Canadian Pacific ships are very popular with those in charge of transport."

He said his company realized additional pier facilities would be required in Vancouver harbor when normal trade relations with the Orient were re-established.

Mr. Coleman said he expected delivery sometime in April of one of two cargo-passenger ships to the C.P.R.

The Empire Captain, 10,000-ton vessel, is expected in Liverpool the second week in April, he said, and it will be turned over to the C.P.R. after unloading and survey.

Ss. Empire Kitchener is now in drydock in Calcutta, he said, but is expected back in the U.K. early in May, when it will be delivered. Mr. Coleman added, Oriental ports served by these temporary vessels will depend on the traffic ordered.

EMPRESS TO BE DELAYED

He did not look for return of the Empress of Scotland before the end of 1946. U.K. authorities have not made it known when the ship will be back, he said. "They have found this ship particularly adapted to service between Great Britain, the Orient and Australia."

He explained it would be necessary to send the vessel to a Clyde-side yard to be converted for the trans-Pacific service.

The C.P.R. had not yet placed an order for a second ship for this service because of difficulty in obtaining assurances as to the time of delivery of the propelling machinery.

Concluding his impressions of the shipping situation as it affected the C.P.R., Mr. Coleman said that as far as war prize ships were concerned, the C.P.R. stood very high on the list of companies to whom war prizes would be awarded. However, he added, when he went into that feature with authorities last autumn, he found there were not many German, Italian or Japanese ships to be disposed of which would be of any particular service to the C.P.R. on either the Pacific or Atlantic.

TO SPEND \$20,000,000

Mr. Coleman also announced his company will this year spend over \$20,000,000 on other additions and improvements to its property and its facilities in western Canada.

A substantial portion of this amount will be spent in payment for over 300 miles of new steel rails, while other large works to be undertaken will include the building of a \$500,000 direct steaming plant at Calgary and expenditure of \$1,500,000 on installation of signals and improvement of interlocking plants.

More than \$2,000,000 will be spent for bridges, trestles and culverts, including two very large replacements on the Kettle Valley division, in B.C.

B.C. Farmers Face Shortage of Labor

William MacGillivray, director of the Dominion Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Service, states that Department of Labor authorities in Ottawa and B.C. feel that it will be extremely difficult to secure all of the help that will be required to harvest the crops of British Columbia in 1946.

Therefore it is urged that farmers and ranchers immediately contact local offices of the service, local offices of the National Employment Service of Canada, or the main Vancouver Island office of the Farm Labor Service at 604 Broughton Street, Victoria, indicating their requirements for help in carrying out spring work.

Mr. MacGillivray states that the accommodation supplied by farmers and ranchers may be a determining factor in the quality and quantity of help that they may be able to secure this season. Far too many producers have been in the habit of offering accommodation to workers which they themselves would scorn to use, he says.

Each placement officer will be responsible for a report on the accommodation available in his district, and unless it is of a satisfactory nature, he has instructions to provide no labor through the service unless conditions are improved to meet with his approval.

The DOCTOR Says:

By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M.D.
CITY AIR LOADED WITH DUST

Outdoor air in cities is polluted by smoke, dust and gases. Tons of dust and dirt are deposited in each square mile in the downtown districts. In the winter, pollution originates mainly from incomplete combustion of coal; in the summer, dust is blown from streets, playgrounds, open fields and nearby farms.

Outdoor city air also contains large amounts of gases (ammonia, chlorine, sulphur dioxide, carbon monoxide and others).

As one approaches a modern American city by air on a clear day when there is little wind, the haze of dust and smoke can be spotted at a distance. This dust blanket filters out most of the ultra-violet rays in sunlight, so necessary for growing children.

FOG HOLDS GASES

Smoke mixed with fog makes matters worse, as it contains all the irritating elements of smoke in concentrated form, and it also hinders the escape of carbon monoxide gas from below.

Dust is found everywhere in the atmosphere. It serves man by providing the means for the precipitation of moisture and the control of temperature. Dust also filters brilliant sunlight so that it is not irritating to the eyes; the bright sunshine which follows a rain results from temporary clearing of dust in the atmosphere.

Normal atmospheric dust is practically free of germs. Even during dust storms few bacteria are found in outdoor air. The respiratory illnesses which increase in a community following excessive exposure to dust are the result of lowered resistance of the respiratory passages, which favors the entrance of germs.

HOUSE DUST HARMFUL

House dust is more harmful than outdoor dust, as it harbors many bacteria. It also contains all the air-borne substances to which most allergic individuals are susceptible.

Housecleaning methods should raise as little dust as possible, and dry dusting and sweeping should be avoided. Vacuum cleaners are recommended, especially if allergic individuals live in the home, and housecleaning should be avoided when they are around.

Street dust contains coal dust, metallic particles, ashes, bacteria, and other materials. Coughing and spitting in public by tuberculous individuals may deposit tubercle bacilli (cause of tuberculosis) on the sidewalk or ground, to be picked up later on the shoes of a passerby.

More than three-fourths of all diseases in temperate climates enter the body through the nose and mouth. Germs of these diseases are spread by infected persons through careless coughing, sneezing and spitting in indoor air (occasionally in outdoor air).

WOMEN'S GOLF

In women's button matches at the Uplands Golf Club Mrs. R. Watson defeated Mary Young 3 and 2 in the singles and Mary Mackenzie-Grieve and Mrs. W. S. Smith defeated Mrs. R. Bramley and Mrs. W. Erickson 5 and 3 in the doubles.

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Richard's Goal Gives Canucks Overtime Win

MONTREAL (CP)—Montreal Canadiens squeezed out a 4 to 3 win over Boston Bruins before a capacity crowd of 13,420 fans Saturday in one of the most exciting National Hockey League playoff struggles staged on Forum ice in many a season.

Maurice "Rocket" Richard scored the clinching goal after 9:08 minutes of sudden-death overtime to put an abrupt ending to a contest that featured wide open hockey, packed with brilliant passing plays.

The victory moved Canadiens into a one-game lead in the best-of-seven series for the Stanley Cup, emblematic of world hockey supremacy. The second game will be played here Tuesday.

It was mostly a goaltender's game with Frankie Brimsek of the Bruins and Bill Durnan of the Canucks performing all sorts of acrobatics to save on many labelled drives. Brimsek was particularly spectacular and some of the 45 saves he made looked nothing short of miraculous.

QUICK SCORING

After a scoreless first period, Canadiens sailed in front early in the mid-session when Butch Bouchard fired a sizzling 40-footer past a maze of legs into the Boston cage. Bobby Filion made it 2 to 0 on another unassisted tally before Bruins retaliated on goals by Bep Guidolin and Woody Dumart.

Jack Crawford lifted Bruins into the lead in the final frame with an angle shot. Murphy Chamberlain knotted the count after a scramble around the Boston net.

Play had been on an equal level in the sudden-death overtime when Richard raced in to pick up a rebound off the stick of Bouchard and jammed the puck under Brimsek to seal the verdict for Canucks.

The victory may have been costly to the Habitués, however, as their veteran captain, Toe Blake, collided with the goalpost in the third period and injured his spine. X-ray pictures will determine the extent of the injury today and whether he'll be out of action for the rest of the series.

SUMMARY

First Period—No scoring. Penalties: Egan (2), Reay.

Second Period—1, Montreal, Bouchard, 0:21; 2, Montreal, Filion, 3:19; 3, Boston, Guidolin (Cain), 5:09; 4, Boston, Dumart (Schmidt), 8:02. Penalty: Guidolin.

Third Period—5, Boston, Crawford (Guidolin), 14:04; 6, Montreal, Chamberlain (Richard), 16:28. Penalty: Shill.

Overtime Period—7, Montreal, Richard (Bouchard), 9:08.

Bill Cull Heads Baseball League

Bill Cull was re-elected president of the Victoria Baseball Association at the adjourned annual meeting held Sunday. Ted Taylor was returned as vice-president with Sid Thomas re-elected as secretary-treasurer.

Three teams, V.M.D., last year's champions, Canadian Legion and Eagles have entered and the date for the opening of the season will be set at the next meeting of the league scheduled April 21.

Plans call for the three local clubs to play inter-league games with upland nines on weekends. Reports have it that baseball will experience one of its greatest seasons at Duncan, Chalmers, Ladysmith and Nanaimo.

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OAK BAY CRICKET CLUB is holding a GENERAL MEETING, TUESDAY, April 2, at the Oak Bay Municipal Hall at 8 p.m. All Interested Are Asked to Attend.

Bob Hamilton Wins Open Golf With 273

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)—Finishing with a seven-under-par 65, Bob Hamilton of Chicago Sunday won the \$7,500 Charlotte open golf tournament by three strokes with a 273 score, 15 under par for the 72 holes.

Winning his first tournament since capturing the 1944 P.G.A. title, Hamilton took down first money of \$1,500 to beat three players—Sam Snead of Hot Springs, Va., the pre-tournament favorite; Pete Cooper, Gainesville, Fla., and Jimmy Demaret, Houston, Tex.

West's, All-Stars Play 3-3 Tie In Cup Soccer Clash

With over 800 fans in attendance, All-Stars and Victoria West battled to a 3 to 3 draw Saturday in the annual juvenile day soccer feature for possession of the Tony Hope memorial trophy. After half an hour of overtime had failed to break the deadlock, it was decided to play another game to determine the cup holders.

Entire proceeds from the program will be turned over to the juvenile association to help provide sufficient funds for the minor league clubs traveling for provincial playoffs.

West's had no alibis as they missed enough scoring chances to win two games. Three times during the afternoon, inside left Ab Travis was in front of the ball with a clear shot, only to lift the ball over the bar. On another occasion Gordie Cooper had an open net from feet out and lifted the ball over the top. The All-Stars on the other hand must just about every scoring chance.

SHUBROOK PLAYS WELL

All-Stars moved into the lead when Dennis Shubrook, speedy right winger, who turned in a sparkling performance, came up fast after going down in a scramble to whip a hard shot past goalie Joe Travis. After net-minder Stewardson had turned aside tough shots from Cooper and Morgan, the Wests tied the score in a goal-mouth scramble, Cooper pushing the ball over the line. Clubs ended the half in a 1 to 1 deadlock.

First 15 minutes of the second half saw the teams push home four goals. All-Stars moved ahead as Rookie Wright took a pass from Shubrook and blasted a hard drive past Travis. Returning to the attack, Wests moved onto even terms again, Travis heading in Barnswell's cross from the right flank. Picking up a rebound, Barnswell found the net, to give the Wests a 3 to 2 lead. All-Stars came right back to register their third goal, Wright again being responsible.

For the remainder of the regulation time and in the extra period the clubs were unable to break the tie. During the afternoon music was provided by the Victoria Boys' Band and the Eagles' Drum and Bugle Corps. At last-time, the latter sounded the Last Post in memory of the footballers who made the supreme sacrifice.

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Racing Results

First race—Six furlongs: Jovian (Swagert) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.10; Corvus (Chenault) 1:11.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Yoko Isle (Martin) 1:11.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Second race—Six furlongs: Peabody (Corbett) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.10; Chari Vani (Zuffel) 1:11.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Sirocco (Bailey) 1:11.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Third race—Six furlongs: Peabody (Corbett) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.10; Chari Vani (Zuffel) 1:11.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Sirocco (Bailey) 1:11.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Fourth race—One mile: Tote Free (Swagert) 1:40.00 \$5.00 \$4.10; Swiney Wing (Zuffel) 1:41.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Grunka (Chenault) 1:41.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Fifth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Be Glory (Zuffel) 1:22.00 \$11.00 \$7.40; Pauli Chant (Hartson) 1:22.10 \$7.40 \$5.80; Just Rusty (Bailey) 1:22.20 \$5.80 \$4.40. Sixth race—One mile: Blunt Bay (Zuffel) 1:10.00 \$5.00 \$4.10; Blunt Bay (Zuffel) 1:11.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Blunt Bay (Zuffel) 1:11.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Seventh race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Collette (Craigmile) 1:12.00 \$5.00 \$4.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Eighth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Collette (Craigmile) 1:12.00 \$5.00 \$4.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Ninth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Collette (Craigmile) 1:12.00 \$5.00 \$4.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.20 \$3.10 \$2.10. Tenth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Collette (Craigmile) 1:12.00 \$5.00 \$4.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.00 \$4.10 \$3.10; Collette (Craigmile) 1:13.20 \$3.10 \$2.10.

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Lineham Lifts Colwood Medal With Subpar 67

Harold Lineham captured medalist honors in the 18-hole qualifying round of the Colwood Club championship Sunday with a three-under-par 67. Lineham was out in 34 and back in 33.

Feature of the round was the brilliant exhibition turned in by Bill McColl who, cut loose with successive birdies on the last five holes to finish with a par 70 for runner-up honors. But for a disastrous three over par seven on the first hole McColl would have had a good chance to lift the medal. McColl's card for the last five holes read: 4-2-3-3-3.

Laurie Kerr, 16-year-old junior member, turned in a smart performance to finish with a 78 and tie for third place with C. Carnegie.

Lineham's card follows:

Out—544 344 343—34.

In—434 432 443—33—67.

Qualifying round scores follow: H. A. Lineham 67, W. McColl 70, C. Carnegie 70, L. Kerr 78, B. Bailey 79, V. King 81, J. R. Pater 81, W. Colton 81, C. Brown 82, A. Bernoldi 85, J. Forbes 88, S. Samson 89, E. Betteger 89, N. S. Mitchell 91, D. Spence 91, W. Dunlop 91, J. N. Morgan 92, J. C. Jordan 92, G. C. Wright 93, R. A. Dunnett 93, D. Denham 93, W. Hocking 94, J. D. Kerridge 94, F. Brown 94, W. Bond 94, L. C. Staphen 94, A. McBride 94, A. Williams 94, F. Smith 94, L. Campbell 97, D. Blake 97, J. Gow 97, W. J. Brewster 98, J. R. Nicol 98, J. C. Morgan 99, H. S. Morgan 99, R. Wood 99, J. E. Lee 99, L. Williams 99, B. Bell 102, R. P. Howard 102, J. N. Morgan 102, K. Kitch 103, H. Hinks 104, A. Hendry 104, C. Goodwin 106, T. Brooks 110, L. Campbell 110, F. Murphy 110.

Eagles Soccer Lads Win Many Trophies

Victoria Eagles' Third and Fourth Division juvenile soccer squads, coached by Alex Sellars and with Dick Sneddon in the trainer role, have amassed impressive records in this season's play. Both clubs have good arrays of silverware to prove their prowess in the 1945-46 season.

The Fourth Division unit has just collected the island championship by defeating Blue Line 2 to 0 and prior to that won the league trophy, the Norman Whitaker Cup, by scoring 49 goals in 14 games. They only had 11 markers scored against them in this series. The team also won the New Method Cup, a knockout series trophy. In three inter-city exhibition games with Vancouver they won two and drew on the third.

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Greenberg May Prove \$60,000 Bust to Detroit Ball Club

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP)—Hank Greenberg, the belting beauty of 1945, whose big bat put Detroit Tigers into the world series and Chicago Cubs out of it, is far from his old impressive self this spring.

Back at first base, a position he vacated to shift to the outfield in 1940, Greenberg is leaving a bad impression with observers of Detroit's exhibition games.

Many who have seen the slow-footed 35-year-old Greenberg stretch his aging legs and arms around first base this spring are convinced that Hank's position will be the weakest in the Tiger line-up when Detroit opens de-

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College In Rugby Final

Turn Back Bays 14-11

Russ Latham, fast-moving inside member of the three-line, was the toast of the Victoria College Saturday afternoon after contributing "nice" big points, including the marginal ones, to give the College rugger a 14 to 11 victory over the city and B.C. champion J.B.A.A. 15 in a Cowichan Cup semifinal.

With the score in a 11 to 11 sawoff and only 10 minutes left to play, Latham, a first class individualist and one of the highest individual scorers in senior company this season, secured the ball 25 yards out from the scrum in a classy bit of brokenfield running made it over the line for what proved the deciding points.

College, coached by Campbell Forbes, will take on Oak Bay Wanderers in the cup final next Saturday, which incidentally, will signal the end of the 1945-46 season.

It was a scrappy, hard-going battle. Turf was dry and fast. Bright sunny weather was accompanied by a brisk north wind that threw booting attempts for conversions and penalty goals considerably off-line.

College had more punch in their attacks in the opening session and looked to be on the way to an easy win. Students were ahead 11 to 3 when Sid Gaunt blew the half whistle, but the old sweat Bays called on their reserve in the final 35 minutes and came within an ace of winning. J.B.A.A. at least in line for tying the score after Latham's final effort, but Austin Cullin made the mistake of trying for and muffed a field goal 15 yards out when his three-quarter line teammates had a clear field for a try.

TAKE 8 TO 0 LEAD

College's lead over eight points through tries by Arnold Walker and Latham and a conversion by Daryl Popham before Bays' made paydirt in the first half, hard-working, aggressive hook, Doug Bray, receiving from speedy Freddy Ranson of the three line to go over. Before the half ended Latham was again in the scoring picture to give his team an eight-point lead at the half.

Displaying a renewed burst of power, McInnes' crew came up for the final round in grand style and pressed the students continually, gradually cutting down the deficit on the score board until all was even. Cullin and wing "Duff" McCaghey, working together, resulted in the latter bagging the first three points. Then things went all even later when Bray took a pass from Bill Van Druen to go over in a forward ruck fullback Tom McKeachie making the conversion.

Horses Valued At \$100,000 Die in Fire

BOWIE, Md. (AP)—Fire swept throughout barn No. 23 at Bowie race track Saturday night, and early Sunday officials said the carcasses of 21 horses valued at \$100,000 had been counted in the smoking ruins.

The 12-day Bowie meeting opened today.

It was reported that clothing had been placed on an electric heater and fire spread to straw in a stall.

kick good. The half was three quarters gone when Latham zigzagged his way through almost the entire Bay team to make the winning touchdown. An indication of Bay power in this half is contained in the fact that the only time college got inside their two-bit area was when Latham scored.

Out of seven tries for conversions only two were successful.

Winnipeg Monarchs Defeat Canadians

The eastern junior hockey final opens tonight in Montreal between Toronto St. Michaels and the Montreal Canadiens. St. Mike's knocked off Copper Cliff Redmen at Toronto Saturday by 8 to 1 to win a best-of-three series in two straight games. The eastern final is a best-of-five affair.

In the western junior final Winnipeg Monarchs wallowed Edmonton Canadians 6 to 3 Saturday, and Monarchs now lead the best-of-seven western final by two games to one.

In the senior chase for the Allan Cup final teams are still in the running. Hamilton Tigers overwhelmed the Pembroke Lynx over Kings 9 to 1 at Toronto Saturday night in the first of their best-of-three eastern semifinals. The winners will collide with Montreal Royals. The two western finalists are the Calgary Stampeders and Trail Smoke Eaters.

At Edmonton a capacity crowd of 6,500 saw Winnipeg beat Canadians. Don McRae scored twice for Monarchs and the others were notched by Clint Albright, Gordon Scott, Tom Rocky and Al Buchanan. For Edmonton the scorers were Harry Groves, Johnny Ryplien and Bill Gadsby. Edmonton scored the first goal, but Winnipeg led 2 to 1 at the end of the first and 4 to 3 after the second, then scored the only two goals of the final frame.

Morrison, Verley Hold Golf Button

Bob Morrison and Gordon Verley successfully defended the city golf button Sunday at the Uplands Club defeating Eric Barber and Doug Thornton of Colwood 4 and 3.

Next match is scheduled for April 14 at Uplands with Morrison and Verley opposing Fred Basanta and Fred Painter of Gorge Vale.

FASTBALLERS MEET

Annual meeting of the Lower Island Fastball Association will be held Friday evening at 8 in the Liberal Headquarters, Broughton Street. Reports on the past season's activities will be submitted and officers elected.

Victoria Athletics Open Spring Training; Jim Dumeah With Club

Seattle Drops Doubleheader To San Francisco

San Francisco's slugging Seals, who kept their hickory dry and hot through a sloshing double header with Seattle, in the fourth day of the 1946 pennant chase are looking down from the head of the stairs in the Pacific Coast Baseball League.

The Seals won both games yesterday by the same score, 6 to 2, while Los Angeles was moving into second place by a double victory at Sacramento, repeating the score, 2 to 1. San Diego and Oakland split a doubleheader, Oakland taking the opener, 7 to 6, and the Padres winning the seven-inning nightcap, 1 to 0, at San Diego, while at Hollywood the home Stars in a delayed start opened with an 8 to 3 win and the Portland Beavers eked out a 5 to 4 rejoinder.

Ira Hutchinson had the Seals fairly well tamed for five innings, and Seattle was leading 2 to 1, in the first game when the San Francisco sluggers got next to him and drove him from the mound in the sixth frame, cutting across four runs. Ray Harrel allowed the Rainiers nine safeties.

In the second game San Francisco banged in five runs in the first inning, but after that right-handed Jim Tobin steadied and held the Seals to one more run in the sixth. Al Lein held Seattle to seven hits, San Francisco accumulated 23 hits for the day, 11 in the opener and 12 in the second game.

First Game—R H E
Los Angeles 2 10 1
Seattle 6 2 0
Batteries—Hammann and Williams; Jaret and MacCarthy and Marucci.

Second Game—R H E
San Francisco 5 10 0
Seattle 2 9 0
Batteries—Hutchinson; Gregory (4), McInnes (1) and Flaley; Harrell and Oregowski.

Third Game—R H E
San Francisco 4 12 3
Seattle 2 10 0
Batteries—Tobin and Jaret; Seaver and Spry.

Fourth Game—R H E
Los Angeles 5 6 1
Portland 3 5 0
Batteries—Barrett, Orrill and Holm; Seaver and Unser.

Vic High Girls Win Basketball Series

Fair-sex Victoria High School cagers Saturday took possession of the Mocking Cup, symbolic of the championship in the lower island schools girls' basketball series Saturday, when they wound up the round-robin series with nine points out of a possible 10.

Strathcona Lodge School and another Vic High squad finished in a second-place tie with six points each, Normal School next with four points, St. Margaret's School and Oak Bay High School were other competitors.

Patsy Yearmans, team captain of the winning Vic High team, was presented with the cup by donor Bud Hocking.

SOCCER MEETING

A meeting of the juvenile football association will be held Thursday night at St. Louis College, starting at 7.

Bays Defeat Hedlunds But Lose B.C. Playoff 73 to 67

Hudson's Bay girls had the satisfaction of defeating Canadian champion Vancouver Hedlunds 32 to 31 Saturday night in the second game of the B.C. senior women's basketball final, but dropped the two-game total-point series 73 to 67. Hedlunds took the opener Friday 42 to 35.

Local club put up a great fight before going under, and during the game enjoyed a four-point series lead. Hedlunds came on strong in the fourth and final quarter to tack the title away, especially after the Bays lost the services of scoring star Marion Kennedy on personals.

From the opening whistle the Bays took command, and at the end of the first quarter were on top 15 to 10 to square the series total-point standing. They outscored Hedlunds 8 to 5 in the second 10 minutes to lead 23 to 13 at halftime. At three-quarter time the Bays were still two points up on the round, but Hedlunds rallied in the final period.

College Gridders Whip Legion To Gain First Place

Bro. J. M. Maloney's St. Louis College gridders vaulted into sole occupancy of first place in the Victoria Canadian Football League's spring season of play under American rules Sunday when they administered a 32 to 6 beating to the heavier Canadian Legion squad in the feature of a double bill at Macdonald Park.

A large attendance of fans was on hand for the grid show at the James Bay enclosure, and in the other game J.B.A.A. registered their first victory of the season, 12 to 6, against Navy. Standings follow: St. Louis on top with six points; Legion in second place with four. Johnny's, idle yesterday, and Bays are tied in the third spot with two points apiece. Navy have yet to crash the win column.

The game's supporters expected a great deal more from Canadian Legion's heavies with lots of experience in the English game and were more than surprised to see Maloney's student squad roll through to such an impressive win. Gordy Brown and Steve Rynoski were the two St. Louis boys who combined to make most of their team's long runs. Score at the half stood at 19 to 0 for the College. Buddy French scored two touchdowns and kicked one conversion. S. Rynoski, Garnett and Billy O'Connell scored other St. Louis touchdowns and Len Scott made the count 32 with a successful convert. Vic Dale breached the student line to account for the Legion's points, getting able assistance from Leon Hall.

PITCHING STAFF
Al Raimondi, released from Oakland of the Coast League, tops the pitching staff as they line up before practice and has one 15-inning game behind him already this season and is in good condition after workouts in California. Behind him are six hurlers showing promise and big enough to handle the professional schedule. They include Wally Ewing, experienced with the Wenatchee, Sacramento and Chattanooga; two Canadians, Jim Dumeah, right hander from Windsor, Ont., and Tony Maze, a 210-pound left hander who has plenty of speed but is yet green; Rudolph Baile, former Pioneer League pitcher; among the rookies are Stan Curry, home-town southerner; Joe Blankenship, husky ex-server man; Leo Jones, Oakland release; Harold Leroy, another Oakland release, and Bill Kespchuk of Detroit. For the other half of his batteries, Harney has himself, Lester Mulcahy and Dixie Walker, both of whom have been connecting for hits and looking good on the pegs in earlier workouts.

INFELD PROSPECTS

About the infield he will space men like Walt Raimondi, an Oakland release, and probably shortstop Frank Cirmelli who will try for the second-base spot; Ian Lowe, a home-run hitter who has been with Harney for four years and will try for third. Adding strength to those prospects are Al Steele; another second baseman, Hardy Mollath; another Oakland shortstop Bill Koenings, once signed by Seattle, and Ed Belloumni. For the outfield Harney has Ed Murphy who was the leading hitter in the New England League last year; Bob Cherry from the New York Yanks' farm string; Pete Hughes, a former leading batsman for the Spokane Indians who cracked 34 home runs in his last season, and Toney Morneo, a big-lad from Vallejo, Calif.

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Victoria Nature Talks

By ROBERT CONNELL
OVER ROCKS AND FIELDS

ASH WEDNESDAY was our most beautiful day this year. Bright sunshine, blue sky, clouds on the horizon, prevailed until between 2 and 3 in the afternoon, when the heavens became more picturesque with rain clouds edged with silver passing overhead and the blue of the sky almost black in the openings. All the landscape was tinged with silvery light, and the shower of raindrops suggested the spray from a garden hose on a warm summer day. As I strolled along in this spring glory of the afternoon it seemed to me I had never seen a more perfect day for pleasant walking, charm of scenery and hopefulness of spring, though but March.

Up on the high pastures were the leaves of the peacocks in their clusters of smooth pale

green, and in many of these the flowerbuds on their stems were already in sight. Everywhere in the short grass were the delightful patterns in their various shades of green, of buttercup, sanicle and crane's-bill. Some of the mosses on the rocks, after a wonderful winter for them, were beginning to show their varied forms of spore-bearing stem.

Most conspicuous was the wheat-moss or hair-cap with its creamy colored caps that conceal the capsule, and with its equally conspicuous reddish brown flowerlike antheridia, that as the name suggests correspond in function to the anthers of flowering plants. The two kinds occur in distinct patches or colonies.

The mosses were chiefly on the flattened ridges of glaciated rock and in the pockets or ledges of soil between it was easy to see the early leaves of some of our spring-flowering plants, among

them the hairy saxifrage, the purple satin-flower, and one of our small lupines. But the common chickweed was everywhere on rocks and in the grass, starting the ground with its little white flowers.

SKYLARK COURTING SONG

Not the least of the day's pleasures was the song of birds. Even the call of the downy woodpecker as he moved about the rough bark of a young oak a few feet above my head, was cheerful. But there were other more musical sounds, among them the liquid melody of a meadowlark in the distance. But greatly abundant was the singing of the skylark. It was most conspicuous on a slope to the south, where in a valley are the huts of Chinese vegetable gardeners.

As I stood not far from the main road I seemed surrounded by song, yet none could I detect in the air above. Suddenly from a little thicket appeared a few small brown birds in rapid but irregular flight. Then others came into sight in the same low flight across the sloping fields.

And still the song rose and fell, the courtship song of the males.

It is not always confined to low levels—occasionally the bird soars in its singing, but I saw no instance of this. Some years ago I saw a beautiful exhibition of this flight about the same time of the year in the flat fields between Richmond Avenue and Shelburne Street, where the undulating movement of the birds was very evident.

These old cultivated fields are of course inhabited by many weeds, mostly of world-wide distribution. Conspicuous among them because in flower at this season is the charlock or wild mustard that later on is sometimes seen yellowing fields of grain. With it is another weed of as wide a distribution, the sand spurry, conspicuous by its double clusters of narrow leaves, forming a whorl, and both they and the stems covered with small glandular hairs. The flowers are white and small; when they ripen, their stalks leave their upright attitude and turn downwards at an equal angle with the stem.

Hitler Wanted Japanese Attack On British, Not U.S., Tribunal Told

NUERNBERG (AP)—Joachim von Ribbentrop denied emphatically before the International Military Tribunal here Saturday that Germany had advance information on the Japanese attack on the Pearl Harbor naval base and declared: "It was something we never wanted."

He testified the primary aim of the tri-partite pact signed by Germany, Italy and Japan was "above all to keep the United States out of the war and thereby isolate England."

The attack on the base Dec. 7, 1941, brought the United States into the war.

"We tried repeatedly to get Japan to attack the British Empire at Hongkong and Singapore and to attack Russia," the former German Foreign Minister asserted.

"But Japan did neither of these things, but a third thing—

one which we had never considered or wanted."

Japanese attacks on Hongkong, where Canadian troops were stationed, and on Singapore, followed the attack on the United States base which precipitated the Pacific war.

"Again and again," Von Ribbentrop continued, "I tried by diplomatic means to keep America out. We always considered the tri-partite pact a defensive one, with the primary aim of

keeping the United States non-belligerent . . . when Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor came, it was a surprise even to their ambassador, Oshima, in Berlin."

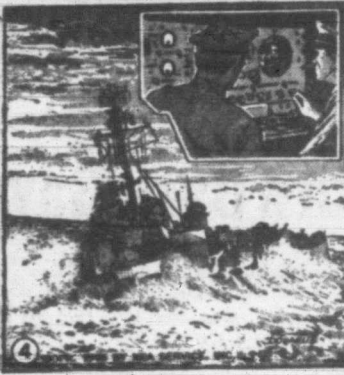
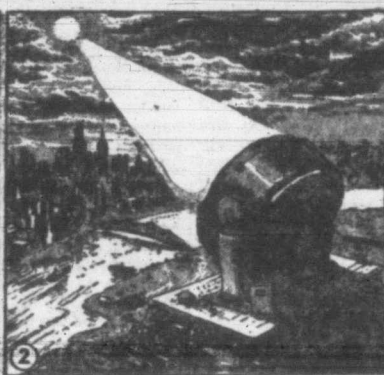
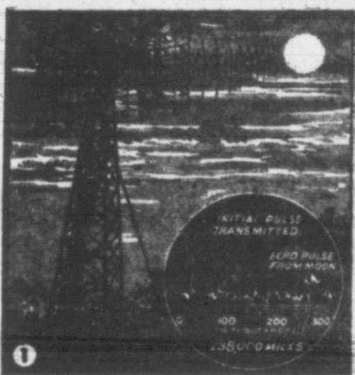
The ex-Foreign Minister gave the Tribunal his version of the history of the Second Great War.

The allegation that practically all Europe, even little Belgium and Luxembourg, was plotting against Germany. Therefore, he said, Hitler "decided he had to strike first."

Von Ribbentrop spoke of the invasion of Belgium and the Netherlands, saying "I had a sleepless night over these violations of neutrality." But he contended they were unavoidable.

"In the winter of 1940-41," he continued, "Hitler faced this situation: England was not yet ready to make peace. We could not be sure of Japan, despite the tri-partite pact. Italy had showed herself to be a weak sister. The United States was becoming more hostile to Germany, though we were trying to keep her out of the war. Russia, despite our non-aggression pact, had shown an attitude giving us great misgivings. Hitler figured he might some day have to face Britain and America on one side and Russia on the other moving against Germany. All these reasons made Hitler decide on a preventive war against Russia."

Adventures in Space: The Story of Radar. No. 1: Reaching For the Moon



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(2) Even before the present age of radar and atomic energy, scientists had speculated on sending a beam of light to the moon. Theoretically a mighty

searchlight could cast upon the moon a bright spot which would be seen by the most powerful telescopes. (Telescopes now bring this dead, mountainous satellite of our earth within a visual distance of about 30 miles.) The spot of light on the moon would have to be a few hundred feet wide to be visible. But to make a strong enough beam, the searchlight unfortunately would have to be several miles across.

(3) Prior to the birth of radar

as a secret weapon of World War II, radio signals could not be sent far out from the earth's surface. Radio waves, which might have been directed toward the moon, would have been reflected back to earth by the ionosphere. The ionosphere is a layer of very thin air whose molecules are charged with electricity by radiation from the sun. These charges drive radio waves back to the earth.

(4) But radar well might be expected to perform peacetime wonders such as making contact

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Harbor Improvements Set For Nanaimo

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the general improvement of Nanaimo's Harbor and \$52,000 for replacement of the crane on the assembly wharf here. Regarding Camp Nanaimo, Hon. C. D. Howe advised it had not yet been declared surplus by the army.

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Burglars Use Welding Torch On Garage Safe

Burglars using an acetylene torch failed to cut a hole in a safe at Oliver and Lalonde Motors Ltd., 1001 Blanshard Street, at the week-end.

Discovery of the attempted safe breaking was made by Constable A. Ferguson at 11 Sunday morning. Detective Henry Jarvis of the city police, who investigated, said the safe had been moved from the office of the motor company to the automobile repair section of the premises. There the company's welding torch had been used in an attempt to cut a hole in the bottom of the safe. However, the supply of gas had run out and the safe-crackers failed to cut all the way through the steel. Stolen were two flashlights, some postage stamps and small change. Robbery of McLeod's jewelry store, 774 Fort Street, was discovered Sunday by Constable Ferguson. A piece of wood had been used to smash a hole in a rear door. Twenty wedding rings were stolen, along with 12 brooches and pendants.

The rear door of the Victoria Plating Co. p. y. Blanshard Street, was smashed also over the week-end in a third case of breaking and entering. The premises had been ransacked but nothing was reported missing by H. Cutt, 2113 Sutherland Street, manager.

A similar method was used to break into the warehouse of Joseph Heaney's Cartage and Storage Company, 1218 Wharf Street, on Saturday. Nothing was stolen.

This morning the janitor of South Park School, George Corness, reported the school had been broken into by means of smashing a panel in the front door.

Tax Collections Same As Last Year

Tax collections at the city hall up to the end of March were within \$1,000 of the collections for the same period in 1945, the city assessor-collector's office reported today.

Collections for the first quarter of this year were \$549,230, and for last year \$548,343. Collections of arrears of taxes are down somewhat, being \$24,244 this year and \$26,441 last year.

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15 Proposed Traffic Changes Approved By Automobile Club

Fifteen of the suggestions made in the report by Chief of Police J. A. McLellan for amendments to the city traffic by-laws, which are being considered by a public hearing of the city council tonight, have been approved by the Victoria Automobile Club in a written submission received today.

In addition the automobile club made four further suggestions for consideration of the council, as follows:

1. That yellow paint be freely used to prominently mark the restricted areas and loading zones.
2. That yellow paint be entirely eliminated, where zones have been changed and are no longer used as such.
3. That traffic be regulated by existing traffic signals only, and it is not necessary to have a traffic policeman where traffic signals are installed.
4. That there be more rigid enforcement of the law against car drivers who insist on double parking.

In addition the club insisted

that left-hand turns should not be eliminated at Fort Street where streetcars turn to the left, because the automobile driver should have the same privileges as the streetcar.

COMMERCIAL DRIVERS

James Foyer was slated to appear on behalf of a group of commercial drivers. He urged that consideration should be given to drivers of delivery trucks who have to double park in order to unload their goods. He stated his opposition to half-hour parking because it would be detrimental to businessmen and to women shoppers.

W. H. Davey appeared on behalf of the individual merchants on Douglas Street between Herald and Humboldt and on Yates between Blanshard and Douglas.

Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council last week asked permission to appear at the public hearing on behalf of labor groups, but up to noon today had not filed the necessary form with the city clerk.

Labor Conference Urges reconvening Of Labor Lobby

A motion urging the reconvening of the labor lobby before the present session of the Legislature adjourns was endorsed at a meeting of the V.I. Joint Labor Conference in the Labor Hall Monday night, when members expressed disappointment over the "labor-legislator" as announced by the government.

Steering committee of the lobby was notified on the conference's action.

A motion carried that the conference write Hon. C. D. Howe, asking him to instruct the B.C. regional controller of lumber to visit Victoria in the near future to investigate the whole lumber situation in this area.

A. P. Rayment, C. Bull, Alan McLoughlin and Mrs. M. Burgoyne were named to a committee to seek support from other local organizations on holding down the "rising prices of many commodities." This action was taken following discussion on what members felt was the rapidly rising costs of many essential items.

C. W. Marshall, who reported on a recent meeting on community recreation, was elected to represent the conference at the recreation committee's next meeting. A request for participation in the May Day celebration from the Victoria Labor Council was received and filed.

Commonwealth Awarded Jubilee Hospital Job

Contract for the conversion of the Kiwanis Club work shop at Royal Jubilee Hospital into an X-ray clinic has been awarded by the Provincial Works Department to Commonwealth Construction Co., Vancouver.

The lowest bidder for the job, tenders for which were opened last week, Commonwealth Construction is doing the work for \$6,245.

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Record Vote In Oak Bay Favors 2 Money By-laws

In one of the heaviest votes in Oak Bay history, voters in that municipality Saturday overwhelmingly approved two money by-laws for \$80,000 waterworks extensions and \$65,000 purchase of the 80-acre Uplands Park.

On the waterworks by-law there were 1,762 votes for, and only 85 against.

On the park purchase by-law there were 1,208 votes for and 630 against.

A. D. Findlay, returning officer, said today it was one of the heaviest votes Oak Bay had ever had. About 40 per cent of the eligible voters cast ballots, he said. The usual percentage of voters was 25 to 30 per cent.

Of the 4,500 voters on the list, over 1,880 voted on the first money by-law put before Oak Bay since 1938.

R. F. Blandy, municipal clerk, said he expected purchase of the park would be completed within two months. There was still a certain amount of documentary work to be done, but the agreement indicated negotiations had to be completed within two months.

A. S. G. Musgrave, municipal engineer, said work on the \$80,000 waterworks extensions would be done over the next two years.

The first extension will be made north of Oak Bay Avenue. Mr. Musgrave estimated the work would cost \$44,000. He hoped the extension would be complete before the dry season arrived.

Trenchwork for the first section of work will be begun within the next two weeks. A 12-inch pipe will be laid from Goldsmith Street across the high school grounds and nursery, along Armstrong Avenue, Cranmore Road, Hampshire Road, and along Musgrave Street to Dufferin Avenue, where the 12-inch pipe ends.

From there, the extension will be carried on with an eight-inch pipe along Dufferin Road to Cadboro Bay Road to link with the existing eight-inch pipe there.

Next year, an extension will be made south of Oak Bay Avenue and will cost approximately \$36,000.

The second extension will start at the 12-inch main at Oak Bay Avenue and Mitchell Street, go south on Mitchell to Granite Street, to Victoria Avenue, to Sutherland Road, to Falkland Road, then south on Falkland Road to Central Avenue where the 12-inch extension will end. From there the extension will be a 10-inch pipe to Beach Drive.

Little work is planned for the Uplands Park this year, Mr. Musgrave said, because of the amount of work already on hand.

However, he said, the engineering department would be putting a grader over the rough road there at present to give park visitors a passable road to the waterfront.

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ALEX. MACALOE
Recording Secretary

The City Council at its meeting this afternoon paid tribute to the "good citizenship, fine character and valued 22 years' public service" of Hon. R. L. Maitland, Attorney-General of B.C., who died last Thursday. The council passed the resolution by a standing vote, and conveyed sympathy to the widow and family of Mr. Maitland.

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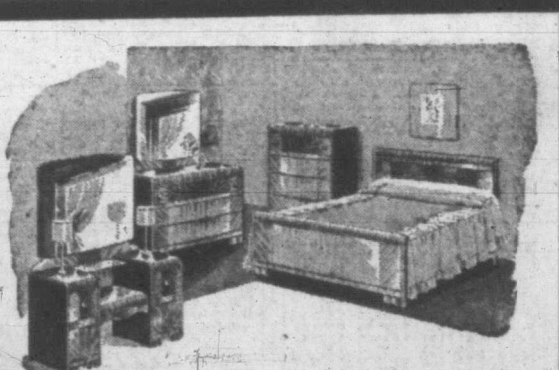
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IMPORTANT

Auction Sale of High-class Dairy Cows and Heifers Dairy Equipment and Machinery

On Tuesday, April 9 At 1 o'clock Sharp

Having received instructions from Council George Austia, Glyn Farm Dairy, Glyn Road, off Wilkinson Road, Victoria, I will sell 38 head of exceptionally good high-producing Cows, 25 of them are fresh, others to freshen later; 19 head of nice 1 and 2-year-old Heifers, a number of them just freshening; 4 Heifer Calves, 1 4-year-old Registered Holstein Bull, very heavy, a Hays & Co. Vancouver, animal; 1 Purebred Guernsey Bull, 2 years old, "a good find." These Cows are all on test and full particulars will be given with each animal the day of sale.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT

All-steel Electric Kelvinator, 4½x20x28 feet; De Laval Milk Bottler; small Bottle Filler; De Laval Milk Cooler, 30 inches; Sterilizer, 30x20x30 inches; Electric Bottle Washer, 3-unit De Laval Milking Machine, complete; Milk Pails and Strainers, Electric Cream Separator, and the usual assortment of Steel and Wood Cans and Bottles, 12 10-gallon Cans, etc.

MACHINERY, ETC.

International No. 5 Silo Filler; Steel Lead Pliers; Corn Blinder; Stick Wagon; Horse Disc; Massey-Harris Mower; Walking Plow; Feed Grinder and Bagger; Manure Spreader; Delivery Wagon; 2 Drive Belts; 2 30-ton Silos in good shape.

LOTS FOR SALE!

Separate sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to 5 p.m. Monday, April 8th, 1946, for the purchase of cash of Lots 12 and 13, Block A, Section 50, Plan 1257, Victoria District, situated on Seaford Street, Saanich, British Columbia. Lot 12, Block 6, Section 43, Plan 1250, Victoria District, situated on New Market Drive, Saanich, British Columbia. Lot 13, Block 6, Section 43, Plan 1250, Victoria District, situated on New Market Drive, Saanich, British Columbia. Lot 13, Block 6, Section 43, Plan 1250, Victoria District, situated on New Market Drive, Saanich, British Columbia. Lot 13, Block 6, Section 43, Plan 1250, Victoria District, situated on New Market Drive, Saanich, British Columbia.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT OF TRANSFER OF BEER LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 20th day of March 1946, the undersigned, in pursuance of the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of all that interest of Omer A. Demers in and to Beer License No. 1218, issued in respect of the premises being part of a building known as the "Liquor Control Board" in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, District of the Province of British Columbia, from the said Omer A. Demers to the undersigned, Robert Gregory Hunter and Bonilla Hunter of the City of Vancouver, B.C., the Transfer.

THE GREAT-WEST LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

VICTORIA BRANCH

has pleasure in announcing the return from active service of two former associates, Messrs. George Gordon and Earl Dickinson and the appointment of Lieut. Dan Lawton, who will represent the Company in Victoria.

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Another Extra Large Display at Our Sale Rooms, 731-733 Johnson Street, for Disposal, to be Sold

WEDNESDAY, 1.30

HIGH-CLASS

Shoe Store Established 1885 Changes Name

The well-known shoe store of James Maynard Ltd., 649 Yates, has announced that commencing

April 1, the firm will be known as Simpson's Footwear Ltd. James Maynard Ltd. was established in 1885 by Mr. James Maynard. In 1933 it was taken over by the late John G. Simpson and operated by him until his death last year.

Mr. R. K. (Ken) Simpson, a brother of the late John Simpson, will be managing director. Mr. Simpson has for the past 17

years been associated with Enamel & Heating Products Ltd. of this city.

Mr. A. J. H. (Bert) Simpson, who will be assistant manager and buyer, has been with the firm for the past 18 months, having previously been manager of the bargain basement shoe department at David Spencer Ltd. He has 20 years shoe experience and has recently passed prac-

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tic examinations, qualifying him to fit all Dr. Scholl's foot appliances. He is well-known in fast-ball and basketball circles, being associated with K.V.'s Sport Club.

There will be no changes in the staff personnel, which comprises of Mr. H. L. Briggs, who has been with the firm over 20 years, Stan Prior, a veteran of this war; Marion Vallor and Gladys Waller. Miss Audrey Draper will continue as accountant.

It is the intention of Simpson's Footwear Ltd. to offer the same quality lines of footwear that have made the names of James Maynard Ltd., well-known in Victoria. A full line of footwear for all the family will be carried, including men's dress shoes and work boots, women's dress and play shoes and children's shoes.

The well-known brands of men's shoes, such as Hartt, Scott-McHale, Ritchie and Leckie will be carried, as well as the famous Greb work boots. The women's line will include such names as Enna Jetiek, Murray, Perth, J. & T. Bell, Blachford, Scott's Airstep and many others. Children's lines will include the popular Packard, Hurbut and Savage makes.

Flour Director Named

OTTAWA (CP)—Appointment of C. H. G. Short of Montreal, president of Lake of the Woods Milling Company and past president of the Canadian National Millers' Association, as flour administration was announced Friday by Donald Gordon, Prices Board chairman.

Mr. Short fills a position left vacant since the resignation of J. J. Page in June, 1945. Mr. Gordon's announcement said developments in connection with current government policy of increasing wheat and flour shipments overseas made it desirable to re-establish the position.



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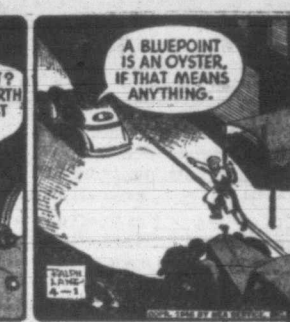
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